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WASHINGTON.

Back Pay of Congressmen.

Great Drain on the Treasury.

FACTS CONCERNING MILEAGE.

Pomeroy's Trial for Bribery

Election in New Hampshire To-day.

Arranging the Senate Committees.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 10, 1873.

Drain on the Treasury for the "Back Pay."

The vote of the late session of the Forty-second Congress, giving five thousand dollars back pay to members of Congress, proves a serious drain on the national cash box. The Secretary of the Treasury has found extreme embarrassment in providing funds for this sudden demand. Mr. Ordway, the Sergeant-at-Arms of the House has not yet received the money necessary to pay members. It is now considered almost certain that the Secretary will be obliged to sell gold or draw on the reserve to meet the obligations thus imposed upon him. The currency balance in the Treasury was only three and one-half millions, whilst the immediate demands, including the back pay of members, foot up several millions in excess of that amount.

Concerning Mileage.

It should be stated in regard to the back pay that the mileage paid members for the session must be deducted, they only receiving the balance. The object of the measure was to equalize the pay of members, particularly with reference to those who receive large mileage. This is done away with under the present bill. The following interesting facts from official sources gives the mileage allowed for the last Congress to Senators and Members from the more remote States: From California, $4,029 60; Oregon, $6,492 60; Nevada, $3,513 60; Texas, $3,000; Louisiana, $2,531; Arkansas, 2,400; Minnesota, $2,475 25; Kansas, $2 353 20; Nebraska, $2,147 20; Mississippi, $2,160. The total amount of mileage was $270,000. When it is considered that in all probability most of these persons have passes, it will be seen that mileage is a considerable item. It is apparent that between the Senator from Delaware, receiving about $200, and that from Oregon, $6,492 80, there is a wide disparity. By the proposed plan it is presumed the pay and allowances will be more satisfactorily equalized, and a member of Congress, no matter from what part of the country he hails, as far as actual income is concerned, will have the same pay. This will account for the support which the measure has had from some of the best men in both houses of Congress.

Pomeroy Not Out of the Woods.

Prominent Republican politicians from Kansas say that Pomeroy stands a very good chance of conviction on the bribery and corruption indictment now pending against him.

The New Hampshire Election.

Dispatches received here from New Hampshire indicate a Republican victory for all the State officers with increased majorities tomorrow.

Persistent Office Hunters.

Most of the President's time since the inauguration has been occupied in repelling the persistent attacks of office seekers and in receiving the congratulations of distinguished persons and members of Congress still lingering in the city. To-day the diplomatic representatives of all the nations in relations with the United States called in court dress to extend their compliments on the occasion of the commencement of a new Presidential term.

The Senate Committees.

The refusal of the Democrats to accept the proposition of the Republican Senatorial caucus, according them one person on each of the committees, was considered this afternoon. The Democrats in their caucus determined to ask an allowance of two members on each of the more important committees. This was taken up and very freely ventilated, when it was concluded to accede to the request. A new committee was then ordered by the caucus to rearrange the committees and adapt them to this new concession of the majority party. The Democrats are holding a caucus to-night at the house of Senator Casserly, to designate the members of the committees.

Personal.

R. M. Douglass, whose name was to-day sent to the Senate for United States Marshal of the Eastern district of North Carolina, is the son of Stephen A. Douglass.

Defaulting Collector.

William Miller, Collector of the Port of Mobile, it is alleged has been found a defaulter to the amount of thirty thousand dollars. He has been requested to resign. The case will be promptly investigated.

Senator Patterson's Case.

In the Republican caucus this morning the Patterson case was talked over, and it was concluded not to take it up.

The New Administration Opens Under Favorable Auspices—The President's Inaugural—Internal Improvements, Commerce, Manufactures and Labor to be Encouraged—The President's Views on the Subject—Representatives Interested in Their Constituents Wants—The Late Increase of Salaries—The Forty-second Congress Winds Up Its Career by Voting Over a Million and a Half Into the Pockets of Members—List of Important Bills Passed During the Late Session.

Special Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8, 1873.

The administration of the affairs of the government for another four years, on the principles set forth by the Republican party as best suited to the spirit of the age and the national destiny, has again fairly commenced. When we say party in this sense we do not mean partisan. The majority of the people, by their great voice, having most emphatically indorsed the acts of three previous Republican administrations by extending the same principles to a fourth have declared their confidence in that general line of policy in home government and foreign relations which has wielded the affairs of the nation through the most trying period of her history and since has characterized its supremacy in a career of unparalleled good to the country at large. At home the people are prosperous. All the great industries of the land have developed to an extent hitherto unknown, or are beginning a career of progress which, with liberal co-operation on the part of the government, will speedily take a prominent rank with the older nations. Abroad our flag is respected as never before in the annals of the republic, and the name of American citizen is a title honorable and respected above any that can be claimed for the people of any other country.

With such an auspicious commencement it should be the pride of every citizen who in the most humble way, whether by the sword or ballot, during the past twelve years, has contributed to make the nation what it is to-day, united, powerful and respected, to continue his efforts in the same direction.

In his inaugural the President stated what would constitute the chief points on which would center the general policy of his second administration. Though all the States had been restored to Federal relations, there was a class of citizens not yet in possession of the civil rights which citizenship should insure. Politically, there was something still to be done. Though in a social point of view the government had no right to interfere. His comprehensive views of American destiny step beyond the bounds of our present territorial limits and take in the whole North American continent as the proper field for the boundless energies of our great people. With modern appliances for the transit of thought and matter, expansion, he says, is not weakness. A nation with no contiguous territory save States, under its own dominions, and with outposts as bases of operations in time of war he considers not only a source of strength but increase the means of defense.

Appreciating also the great inland trade of the country, he turns with a willing ear to the necessities of this important interest. Not only does he favor the establishment of our ocean commerce on a footing with the first nation of the globe, but also the construction of cheap routes of transit throughout the land, to the end that the products of all sections may find a market and leave a living remuneration to the producer. To these two most essential industries he adds the wish to secure a restoration of our currency to a fixed value as compared with the world's standard of the values of gold, and, if possible, to a par with it: the encouragement of such manufacturing industries as can be economically pursued in this country, to the end that the exports of home products and industries may pay for our imports, the only sure method of returning permanently to a specie basis and not overlooking the interest which goes hand in hand with capital; he also favors the elevation of labor.

With tangible assistance, as well as nurturing care of our home and foreign commerce and manufacturing interests, and the establishment of our finances on a strong basis, the Republican party three years and a half hence will be able to go before the country stronger than when in November last it marched to decisive victory. It is only General Grant's duty to make good these promises of his inaugural, and he will leave the party as strong, if not stronger, than when he entered it.

In conversation with his friends the President has spoken more at length on the subjects which constituted the leading features of his inaugural address, and particularly on those enumerated above. He is the earnest advocate of internal improvements, and it is not by any lack of an expression of opinion on his part that the measures which came before the late Congress were not acted upon. If the people wish such improvements let them send Representatives who will propose, advocate and press such important subjects rather than spend their time in Credit Mobilier and other speculations. It is to be hoped the disgraceful proceedings of the third session of the Forty-third Congress will be followed in the new Congress by some legislation that may benefit the country and set in motion the work of development of the immense resources which, for want of cheap transportation to the markets, lie unavailable in the great valleys of the Ohio, the Mississippi and the Missouri.

Although there has been considerable political cant on the subject of salaries, there is no question the compensation of the higher officers of the government has long been found insufficient to meet the increased demands upon their means. This, however, can hardly be said of the members of Congress. But admitting the necessity of an increase of fifty per cent. to members of Congress it was certainly an unblushing piece of business to make the vote for increased pay include the present Congress. The effect of this was to deliberately vote $1,625,000 out of the Treasury. This was unquestionably a fitting culmination for the Forty-Second Congress

The country is to be congratulated upon having got rid of that Congress at so small a figure.

The following is a list of the bills of National importance passed during the third session of the Forty-Second Congress:

An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to transport in a government vessel, free of duty, a monument, designed by Admiral Porter, to be erected in the grounds of the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

An act to authorize the construction of bridges across the Ohio river.

An act for the reduction of officers and expenses of the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

An act authorizing the construction of railroad bridges across the Mobile river and other navigable streams tributary to Mobile bay.

A joint resolution extending the time for the presentation and selection of models for a colossal statue to the late Admiral Farragut.

An act making appropriations to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the service of the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1873, and for other purposes.

An act to provide for the expenses of the Commission to inquire into the depredations on the frontiers of the State of Texas

An act making appropriations for the payment of invalid and other pensions of the United States for the year ending June 30, 1873.

An act to amend the 133d and 163d sections of an act approved June 8, 1872, entitled an act to reverse the statute relating to the Postoffice Department

An act to amend an act entitled an act relating to members of Congress, heads of departments, and other officers of the government, approved June 11, 1864.

An act to prevent certain officers of the United States and Territories from practicing as attorneys or solicitors in the Courts of the United States in certain cases.

An act to incorporate the Loomis Ærial Telegraph Company.

An act to authorize the employment of keepers and crews of surfmen for the life saving stations on the coast of Cape Cod and Block Island.

An act to amend section twelve of an act entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of Shipping Commissioner," &c., approved June 7, 1872.

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate a national military and naval asylum for the relief of the totally disabled officers and men of the volunteer forces of the United States," approved March 21, 1866, and for other purposes.

An act to abolish the grades of Admiral and Vice Admiral in the navy.

An act regulating the compensation of the members and officers of the legislative assemblies of the several Territories of the United States, and limiting the duration of the sessions of said Assemblies.

An act to authorize the Secretary of War to contract for the construction of a snag-boat to ply on the Mississippi, Missouri and Arkansas rivers.

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend the fifth section of an act entitled 'An act donating public lands to the several States and Territories, which may provide colleges for the benefit of agricultural and mechanic arts,' approved July 2, 1862, so as to extend the time within which the provisions of said act shall be accepted and such colleges established," approved July 23, 1866.

An act to fix the term for holding the annual session of the Supreme Court of the United States

An act to abolish the franking privilege and to provide for the transmission of official documents and other public matter.

An act to regulate the employment of engineer soldiers on extra duty.

An act for the relief of Captain Brice S. Blair, postmaster at Huntington, Pa.

An act making appropriations to defray the expenses of the American and British Claims Commission, and for other purposes.

An act to authorize the construction of eight steam vessels of war, and for other purposes.

An act making an appropriation to defray the expenses of the investigations in regard to elections in Kansas, Louisiana and Arkansas.

An act revising and amending the laws relative to the mints, assay officers, and coinage of the United States.

An act to amend an act, entitled an act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy thoughout the United States, approved March 2, 1867.

An act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to refund the differential duty on articles actually on ship board in French vessels, destined for the United States on the 5th of November, 1872.

Joint resolution to enable the people of the United States to participate in the advantages of the International Exposition, to be held at Vienna in 1873.

An act making appropriations for the current and contingent expenses of the Indian Department, for fulfilling treaty stipulations with various Indian tribes, for the year ending June 30, 1874, and for other purposes.

An act authorizing the nomination and appointment to the retired list of the navy certain volunteers in the active list of the navy who are disabled in consequence of wounds received during the late war.

An act to remit the excise taxes upon alchohol used by universities and colleges for scientific purposes.

An act making appropriations for the construction, preservation and repairs of certain fortifications and other works of defense for the year ending June 30, 1871.

An act making appropriations for the consular and diplomatic service of the government for the year ending June 30, 1874.

An act to enforce the stipulations of the convention with Venezuela, of April 25, 1866, and the payment of adjudicated claims.

An act to provide for the expenses of the investigation of the recent Senatorial election in Kansas.

An act to carry into effect the provisions of the treaty between the United States and Great Britain, signed in the city of Washington the 8th day of May, 1871, relating to fisheries.

An act to transfer the control of certain powers and duties in relation to the Territories to the Department of the Interior.

An act relating to the fractional parts of barrels containing fermented liquors.

An act to provide for the establishment of life saving stations on the coasts of Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Virginia and North Carolina.

An act to amend an act making appropriations for the support of the army for the year ending June 30, 1870, approved March 3, 1869.

An act to prevent cruelty to animals which are in transit by railroad or other means of transportation within the United States.

An act to amend an act entitled "an act to establish a Department of Justice and for other purposes."

An act to enable the Secretary of War to pay the expenses incurred in suppressing the Indian hostilities in the Territory of Montana in 1867.

An act making appropriations for the Postoffice Department for the year ending June 30, 1874.

An act authorizing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi river at St. Louis

An act supplemental to an act entitled "an act granting the right of way through the public lands for the construction of a railroad from Great Salt Lake to Portland, Oregon," approved April 12, 1872.

An act to amend an act entitled "an act granting the right of way to the Walla Walla and Columbia River Railroad Company and for other purposes," approved March 3, 1869.

A joint resolution authorizing the President to invite the International Statistical Congress to hold its next session in the United States.

An act for the suppression of the trade in and circulation of obscene literature and articles of immoral use.

An act to authorize the construction of a bridge across the Missouri river at or near the city of Lexington, Missouri, and establish it as a post road.

An act supplementary to an act entitled an act to incorporate the Texas Pacific Railroad Company, and to aid in the construction of its road, and for other purposes, approved March 3, 1871.

An act to provide for the sale of the lands of the United States containing coal.

An act making appropriations for the legislative, executive and judicial expenses of the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1874.

An act making appropriations for the navy for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1874.

An act making appropriations for the support of the army for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1874.

An act making appropriations for the sundry civil expenses of the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1874.

An act making appropriations for rivers and harbors for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1874.

An act making appropriations for deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1873, and for other purposes. K.

WASHINGTON, March 10, 1873.

NOMINATIONS SENT IN.

The President sent the following nominations to the Senate: United States Marshals—George J. Lammon, Nevada; Charles S. Hamilton, Eastern District of Wisconsin; George Smith, Western District of Missouri. United States Attorneys—John H. Standish, Western District of Michigan; Buford Wilson, Southern District of Illinois. Postmasters—William Miller, Petroleum Center, Pa.; Isaac B. Gara, Erie, Pa.; John B. Howe, Oil City, Pa.; A. W. Dennison, Baltimore, Md.; Thomas E. Douglass, Mansfield, Ohio; Samuel T. Beerbower, Marion, Ohio.

NOMINATIONS CONFIRMED.

The Senate confirmed the following nominations: Collectors of Customs—George Jerome, Detroit, Michigan; Pendleton G. Walmouth, Cuyahoga, O.; C. W. Babcock, Surveyor General of Kansas; Philip A. Emerson, Associate Justice of Utah; Hiram W. Jones, Agent for Indians, Indian Territory; Joseph H. Cogswell, Postmaster, Titusville, Pa.

DIPLOMATIC CORPS CONGRATULATE THE PRESIDENT.

In accordance with a usual custom, the members of the Diplomatic Corps in Washington called in a body on the President at noon to-day to pay their respects and congratulate him on the beginning of his second term of office. Many of the members of the corps were accompanied by their ladies. The President, with Mrs. Grant on his arm, and followed by members of his Cabinet, with their ladies, led the way to the East room, where they were immediately joined by the Diplomatic Corps and their ladies. The Diplomatic Corps, headed by their Dean, the Turkish Minister, then shook hands with the President, and Blacque Bey read the following address:

"Mr. President—I have the honor to offer you the congratulations of the Diplomatic Corps upon this occasion of your inauguration. I feel both pleased and flattered that the duty has devolved upon me to express to you the sincere wish of my colleagues and myself for the preservation of your life and the consequent success of your administration."

To which the President replied:

"Mr. Dean—I receive with sensibility the congratulations which you offer in behalf of your colleagues, accredited to this government. My intercourse with you all has hitherto been agreeable, and I trust may so continue. It is my wish, and shall be my purpose in the future as it has been in the past, to keep up with the countries which you represent those cordial and friendly relations which are essential to general prosperity and happiness."

DEMOCRATIC SENATORS IN CAUCUS.

The Democratic Senators held a caucus to-day, and voted to notify the Republican caucus that the action of the latter, in allowing a minority a representation of only one on each of the most important committees, is not satisfactory, and that the Democrats will not acquiesce in it by designating any one to fill the vacancies so left for them by the Republican caucus. The Democrats claim that as they number nineteen, and the Liberals number five in the Senate, the minority should be allowed a representation of two members on each committee. In consequence of this disagreement the list of revised committees cannot be presented to the Senate before to-morrow.

The Republican Senatorial caucus met after the adjournment of the Senate this afternoon, to consider the demand of the Democrats for increased minority representation on committees, and after some discussion the matter was referred to a sub-committee of five to report at an adjourned meeting to-morrow. The sub committee consists of Messrs. Stewart, Conkling, Scott, Wright and West.

END OF SENATOR PATTERSON'S CASE.

The caucus of Republican Senators considered Saturday's vote regarding the case of Patterson, and decided not to take it up for consideration in the Senate, no action being possible, for the reason that Patterson is no longer a member of that body.

CONVENTION OF COLORED MEN.

At a convention of colored men held to-night, including representatives from various parts of the country, George T. Downing presiding, an address was adopted claiming full measure of civil rights and asking the passage by the next Congress, of a supplemental civil rights bill; expressing sympathy with the Cubans, and denouncing Spanish barbarities, and concluding with resolutions thanking the President for freely committing himself to the principle of civil rights, and expressing gratitude to Charles Sumner, whose name above all others coming to mind in connection with civil rights is precious to colored men. Great applause greeted the mention of Mr. Sumner's name. Speeches were made by Sella Martin and Hon. N. P. Banks in advocacy of the extension of belligerent rights to Cubans and of the abolition of slavery in Cuba. Addresses were also made by Congressman Rainey and ex-Governor Pinchback.

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SECOND EDITION.

HARRISBURG.

PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE

Senate Calendar for To-day—The Allegheny County List—The Pittsburgh-Allegheny Consolidation Bill—Rooms Engaged for the Allegheny Committee—Bills Introduced in Both Branches by Western Members—Vetoes by the the Governor—General Appropiation Bill Reported from the Ways and Means Committee.

Special to the Pittsburgh Press.

HARRISBURG, PA., March 10, 1873.

SENATE.

The regular calendar for to-day (Tuesday) contains many Western bills. The Allegheny list is quite lengthy, containing the following:

An act to enlarge the jurisdiction of the Court of Common Pleas of this Commonwealth, authorizing the granting of charters of incorporation to boards of trade.

A supplement to the several acts in reference to the barring of entailments.

An act to incorporate the Pennsylvania Colony Union.

An act to prevent the defacement of natural scenery and other objects.

An act relating to ground rents, defining the extent of the lien of judgment for the recovery of arrears, in cases where the title to land charged with the rent has been divested by judicial sale or conveyance, and restraining the issue of execution in certain cases.

An act regulating the license and other fees to be paid by insurance companies not incorporated or organized in this Commonwealth.

An act supplementary to an act relative to incorporated companies, approved April 10, 1869.

(H. R. 169.) An act regulating the fees of coroners, and justices of the peace acting as such.

An act to incorporate the Pittsburgh and South Side Steam Passenger Railroad Company.

An act to provide for the filing of receipts for interest or partial payments upon mortgages recorded in the office of the recorders of the several counties of the Commonwealth.

A further supplement to an act to incorporate the Security Safe Deposit Trust and Guarantee Company, approved April 12, 1866, granting discounting privileges.

An act to repeal State tax on horses, mules, cattle, trades, occupations and professions.

An act extending the existing laws authorizing the construction of sewers in the city of Allegheny to the borough of Sharpsburg.

An act to incorporate the South Side Land and Improvement Company.

A further supplement to the act for the regulating of Courts in this Commonwealth.

A supplement to an act relative to change of venue, approved April 28, 1870.

An act to provide for the care and keeping of the criminal insane of this Commonwealth.

Allegheny and Pittsburgh Consolidation.

Rooms have been engaged at the hotels for the anti-consolidationists. The bill goes to the Local Judiciary Committee. Arrangements are being made that the committee shall hear expressions from both sides.

The following bills were read:

Mr. Humphreys—To incorporate the Warehouse and Storage Company; also, supplement to the borough of Sharpsburg.

Mr. Graham—Supplement to the Loan bank, allowing them to loan money on personal property and take mortgages which shall be liens against said property.

Mr. Playford—To repeal the wolf and panther law of Fayette county.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following bills were read:

Mr. McCormick—New charter for the city of Pittsburgh, as revised by the Councils. Referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations. Act opening, grading, &c., of Tustin street, from Seneca to Gist street; also, Forbes street, from Brady to Gist; act to allow widows to appoint testamentary guardians; act to incorporate the Youghiogheny Valley Railroad, J. D. Roddy, E. C. Pechin, A. H. Coffroth and others, corporators; further supplement to Pennsylvania avenue act, the same as approved by Pittsburgh Councils; also, an act to amend the intestate laws.

Mr. Ramsey—Act to incorporate the Press Publishing Company of Allegheny; also, bill to extend boundaries, open streets, and borrow money for the borough of Verona.

Mr. Newmeyer—Act to extend the boundaries of McKeesport; act to allow the National Tube Company to hold real estate in McKeesport; act relative to public road in Wilkins township.

Mr. Sample—Act to remove the dead and sell the burying ground of the Presbyterian church of Sharpsburg; also, petition in favor of an appropriation for the Centennial Exhibition.

Mr. Young—Act incorporating the North American Trust Company of Pittsburgh; act to incorporate the Fort Herron Inclined Plane Company, between Thirty-second and Neville streets, Pittsburgh.

Mr. Ballantine—Act extending the time for filing liens for grading, paving, curbing and sewering Pittsburgh; charter for a free bridge over the Ohio river from the foot of Liberty street to South Pittsburgh.

The Usury Bill.

There was an effort to reconsider the Usury bill defeated last week, but it failed.

Vetoes by the Governor.

The Governor sent to the House his veto of the Woods Run Fund and Loan Association; also to the Senate a veto of the bill to pay for printing for the Constitutional Convention, as the Convention had power in the premises.

Appropriation Bill Reported.

Mr. Mitchell, Chairman of the Ways and Means, reported the General Appropriation bill. The following are the items for Western institutions: Dixmont, $26,000; Marine Hospital, Erie, $15,000; Sheltering Arms, Pittsburgh, $5,000; House of Refuge, $65,500; General Hospital, Twelfth ward, Pittsburgh, $19,000. The whole amount in the bill as reported is four and a half million dollars. It is expected this amount will be considerably cut down by the House.

THE WEATHER.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, March 10, 1873, 7 P. M.

PROBABILITIES.

For Tuesday, areas of lowest barometer will move eastward over the lakes and Ohio valley. Southwest winds, cloudy and threatening weather prevail from the Middle States and lower lakes to Tennessee. Southerly winds, with threatening weather, prevail in the Gulf States. Falling barometer, increasing southerly winds and cloudiness prevail on the South Atlantic coast. Southeast winds, veering to southwest, with rising temperature, cloudy and threatening weather, extend over the Middle States by Tuesday night. Partly cloudy weather, with rising temperature in New England. Brisk northerly winds extend from Missouri to Texas by Tuesday afternoon.

FIRES.

Livery and Feed Stable at Logansport, Ind., Burned.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

LOGANSPORT, IND., March 10, 1873.

About 7:30 this P. M. Campbell Bros'. livery and feed stable was totally destroyed by fire, with all its contents, except horses and carriages. Loss estimated at one thousand dollars; no insurance. The origin of the fire is supposed to be a spark from a lantern which one of the men had lighted a few moments before the fire was discovered.

Damage by a Wind Storm,

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

IRONTON, OHIO, March 10, 1873.

A heavy wind storm passed through this region Sunday afternoon, causing considerable damage in small ways. It took the tin roof from a passenger car, belonging to the Iron Railroad, broke the Lawrence mill flag pole, broke one or two show windows, by blowing things against them. At Ashland, Ky., it blew down about three hundred feet of a frame of one of the Morton Iron Works' buildings in process of erection.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

CHILLICOTHE, OHIO, March 10, 1873.

A terrible wind storm here yesterday blew off roofs. Reports come from all over the country of fences, barns and sheds blown down. The Presbyterian church at Kingston was blown down; damage, $200.

PHILADELPHIA, March 10.—The extensive ship house of Wood, Dialogue and Co.'s ship yard, at Kaighn's Point, New Jersey, was blown down this morning during a heavy gale. Twenty-five men were employed on a vessel in the lower part of the house, but the wind was so strong that it carried the wreck away from them and the vessel. None of the men were injured. Loss $15,000.

Removal of Newspapers.

CHICAGO, March 10.—The *Times* of this city moves to-day into its office, corner of Washington street and Fifth avenue, and will issue therefrom. The building is one of the finest structures in the city, and as a newspaper office is in all respects one of the finest in the world. The *Staats Zeitung*, the great German newspaper of the West, will also issue tomorrow from its elegant new office immediately opposite the *Times* building. This leaves only the *Journal* of the Chicago dailies in the temporary quarters occupied immediately after the great fire, and that paper will move in a few days into a splendid building erected by the proprietor on Dearborn street.

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Sapolio, for knives and forks.
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Sapolio, for polishing brass, tin, &c.
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Only 10 cents a cake.
Sapolio, for all cleaning purposes,
Only 10 cents a cake.

CASUALTIES.

Singular Death, Followed by a Series of Accidents.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., March 10, 1873.

A very singular series of accidents occurred last Saturday night at Elizabeth, West Virginia, a few miles from here. Shortly after Mr. Alf. Wells and his family had retired, Mrs. Wells complained of a feeling of numbness in her limbs and requested her husband to help her walk across the floor. About half way across the room he expressed some fears, when she told him not to be afraid, and immediately dropped dead at his feet. He gave an alarm, and a neighbor, an old lady, in crossing the street to his assistance, fell, breaking her left arm in two places and her right collar bone. Her son, a young man, heard her scream, and rushing out of the house to her aid, fell against the half open door, breaking his nose and rebounding senseless to the floor. Doctor Kendall, hastening to the help of the sufferers, also fell, broke two of his ribs, and had to be carried home. This reads like a joke. It is seriously true.

Boiler Explosion at Orange Furnace, Jackson, Ohio.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

CHILLICOTHE, O., March 10, 1873.

Three boilers exploded at Orange furnace, Jackson C. H., last night about eleven o'clock, seriously wounding two employees and demolishing the smoke stack and buildings. Heavy pieces of the boilers were blown a distance of over four hundred yards. The damage is between $9,000 and $10,000. One man is missing, and it is feared may be dead and buried in the ruins.

Man Knocked Off the Track.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

PORTSMOUTH, O., March 10, 1873.

The mail train, due here from Hamden at seven P. M., knocked a man named Wm. Anders off the track near Portland, severely injuring him. His recovery is doubtful.

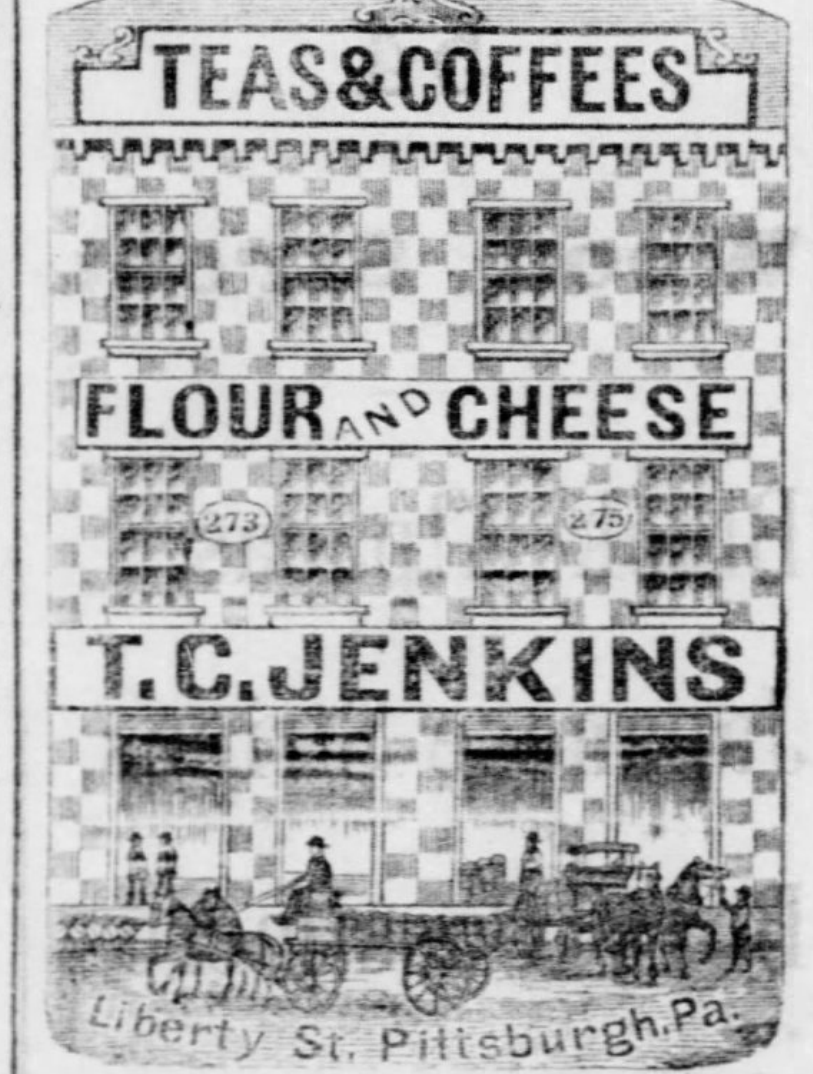
POLITICAL.

Ohio Constitutional Convention Candidates.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

ZANESVILLE, OHIO, March 10, 1873.

At the Democratic Convention, held this afternoon, Wm. H. Ball and John Lane were nominated as candidates to the Constitutional Convention.



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Five and Six Cent Soaps, best on the market for the money,

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WANTED.

WANTED—BILL CLERK—A YOUNG Man for Bill Clerk and office work. Address in handwriting, W. A. S., Commercial office.

WANTED—ROOMS—BY A YOUNG Married Couple, 2 or 3 Rooms suitable for housekeeping, within 15 or 20 minutes' walk of the Postoffice. Address J. C. M., Commercial office.

WANTED—10 PUDDLERS—PERMANENT places out of the city; also, Helpers; Fare paid. Farm and Garden Hands, Girls and Women for general Housework and Cooking, in city and out. Apply at Employment Office, No. 1 Sixth street, first door from Suspension Bridge, Pittsburgh.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—THAT VERY DESIRABLE Store, No. 38 Fifth avenue. Inquire of ISAAC M. PENNOCK, No. 59 Fourth avenue. tf

FOR RENT—NO. 96 FOURTH AVENUE—The United Savings Bank being about to remove to the corner of Second avenue and Smithfield street, will let their present Offices. tf

FOR RENT—WAREHOUSE—THE Warehouse, corner Water street and Cherry alley for rent low. Possession given immediately. D. W. C. BIDWELL & CO., corner Water street and Cherry alley.

FOR RENT—FIVE MINUTES WALK from Swissvale Station, Pennsylvania Railroad, House of 9 Rooms and Kitchen, good Water and near a grove of old Forest Trees. Apply to R. H. PALMER, No. 151 Wood street.

FOR RENT—DESK ROOM—IN A GOOD well lighted front Office, convenient to Union Depot. Also, second story of large Warehouse, with Patent Elevator, suitable for storage. Apply to G. E. PALMER & CO., 360 Penn avenue. TThs

FOR RENT—THE THREE-STORY Brick Dwelling House, No. 338 Ridge avenue, Allegheny, with Stable and Carriage House attached, opposite center of West Park. Apply to ALBERT HIGBY, 189 Liberty street.

FOR RENT—FARM—32 ACRES ON Neville Island, opposite Fleming Station, Fort Wayne Road. Large Orchard, 500 Hot bed Sash, two Horses and complete outfit, House, Barn, &c., &c. Inquire of H. T. MORRIS, 98 Fifth avenue.

FOR RENT—THREE NEWLY FINISHED three story Buildings, with Storeroom and Offices or Dwellings above Store, on Diamond street, between Smithfield and Grant. Inquire of FRAZIER BRO., 158 Pennsylvania avenue, Allegheny. tf

FOR RENT—COMFORTABLE DWELLING of 7 Rooms, Bathroom and Closets, &c., No 175 South avenue, Allegheny. Good front and rear yard, near street cars and fifteen minutes walk from Fifth avenue. Inquire of SAML. RIDDLE, 32 Wood st. tf

FOR RENT—OFFICE—INTENDING TO move our Office to the Northeast corner of our Building, we will rent the one we now occupy. It is 25 feet front on Penn street; well lighted; has a large vault, suitable for a bank. Can give any depth required. F. SELLERS & CO., 327, 329 and 331 Penn, corner Tenth street. tf

FOR RENT—PATTERN WORKS—I will lease for a term of years the Venture Pattern Works, corner of Twentieth street and Mulberry alley. The Building is 36 feet front by 120 feet deep, two stories high, on a Lot 100 feet front by 120 feet deep. Engine 40 horse power. Is well adapted for Pattern Works, Planing Mill or Sash and Door Factory. For particulars call at the office of C. SNIVELY, 89 Grant street. TThs

FOR RENT—STORES—TWO NEW Stores on Penn avenue, opposite Fort Wayne Depot; will be ready for occupancy April 1st. Offices in above Buildings, in suits of two or single Rooms, second and third floors. Also, Offices in third and fourth floors, front and rear Rooms, Carr's Block, Iron Front, Fifth avenue, near Wood street. Apply to WILLIAM CARR, 327 Liberty street.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A SECOND-HAND NO. 5 Burke & Barnes Safe, in good condition. Inquire of PAINE, ABLETT & TRIPP, 360 Penn ave. TThs

FOR SALE—A FEW HALF ACRE LOTS near Ingram Station. Very convenient. Prices low. Inquire of JOHN M. THORP, corner of Third avenue and Wood street.

FOR SALE—MULES—100 GOOD Heavy Mules will be on hand for sale on Wednesday, March 12th, 1873, at the East Liberty Stock Yards. CRAIG STEWART.

FOR SALE—ONE NEW 12X24 INCH Engine complete, one 8x20 inch and one 8x12 inch, second-hand Engines in good order. M. B. COCHRAN & CO., 121 Liberty street. tf

FOR SALE—ENGINES AND BOILERS—10 Stationary and Portable Engines, with Stationary and Tubular Boilers, new and second hand, for sale very low. PERRY DOUDS, New Castle, Pa.

FOR SALE—VALUABLE LOT—WITH Cottage, No. 237 Locust street, Fifth ward, Allegheny, near street cars. Lot 24 by 130, street 66, alley 24 feet, with sewer. Address for ten days, ISAAC KITCHIN, Wilkinsburg, Pa.

FOR SALE—THE MACHINE SHOPS OF Beal Stevens, New Cumberland, W. Va. There is plenty of local work on hand at fair prices. Reasons for selling, ill health. Call on or address JOHN PORTER, New Cumberland, Hancock county, W. Va.

FOR SALE—TO IRON MEN AND LUMBER MEN—Forty to fifty million feet of Oak, Pine, Poplar and Walnut Lumber, on a tract that has strong indications of large bodies of Iron Ore on for sale at four dollars per Acre. Address R. D. CAMPBELL, Belleville, Mifflin county, Pa.

FOR SALE—A. S. CAMERON & CO.'S Steam Pumps, suitable for every purpose to which Steam Pumps can be applied. Having been largely improved, we offer them as the best and cheapest in the market. ATWOOD & McCAFFREY, corner Third avenue and Liberty street, Pittsburgh, Pa. TThs

FOR SALE—FARM OF 75 ACRES, 6 Acres of Timber, balance good Farming Land, with Dwelling House of 4 Rooms, Porch and Cellar and other Out-Buildings, and Orchard. Farm well Watered, and situate 15 miles from the city, on Beaver road. Will be sold low; if not sold soon will be for rent. Apply to G. W. RANKIN, Real Estate Agent, Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOR SALE—DRUG STORE—THE UNDERSIGNED desiring to engage in other business, offers until March 15th, at private sale, his Drug Store, No. 103 Fifth avenue. The Store is fitted up in good style. Stock all fresh and reliable. Location good. Trade well established. If not sold by 15th inst., this offer is withdrawn. For further information apply to JAMES R. CLARK, 103 Fifth avenue. tf

FOR SALE—AN ELEGANT RESIDENCE—Formerly occupied by S. M. Loveridge, situated corner Bluff and Miltenberger streets, commanding a view of the Monongahela river for over three miles. The Lot is 48 feet front by 120 deep to a paved alley. Improvements consist of a two-story Brick House, pressed front, Wide Hall, large Saloon Parlor, Library and Dining Room on first floor; 4 Bedrooms, Hall Bedroom and Bathroom on second floor. There is also a finished Attic, large Cellars with cement floors, good Furnace, Range in Kitchen, Gas and Hot and Cold Water through the house. Dumb Waiter from Kitchen to Dining Room, Marble Mantels, &c., &c. The House is finished complete in every respect, beautifully situated, and can be had at a bargain. Inquire of LUSK & BROWN, corner Wood street and Fourth avenue. TThs

WANTED—AGENTS.

WANTED—AGENTS—A FEW EXPERIENCED Agents, of either sex, can secure profitable employment in or out of the city, by applying to or addressing the Riverside Home, 114 Smithfield st.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

WANTED—TWO EXPERIENCED DRY Goods Clerks for one of the best city houses, 2 Blacksmith Helpers, 2 Teamsters, 2 Carpenters, 2 Machinists, 3 Coal Miners, 2 Farm Hands, 1 married man for Farm. Apply at S. T. KELLER'S, corner of Ninth and Penn avenue, Pittsburgh.

INFORMATION WANTED.

INFORMATION WANTED OF JAMES KILDUFF, who was last heard of about two years ago in Pittsburgh, Pa. He is now about thirty years of age. He or any one knowing his whereabouts will please address his sister, ELLEN KILDUFF, Cumberland, Md.

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL—WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED a supply of large and heavy Lace Leather of Page's Patent, the best in the city. HARTLEY, McKEE & CO., corner Fourth avenue and Smithfield street. T

BUSINESS CHANCES.

TO BUSINESS MEN—RARE CHANCE FOR INVESTMENT—A Manufacturing Establishment of thirty-five years standing for sale. Amount required about ($40,000) Forty Thousand Dollars. It is now paying 25 per cent. of this amount yearly profits. There are now three partners, one of whom, a Practical Man, desires to retain his interest if agreeable. Address Box L, Commercial office.

ELECTION NOTICES.

☞ STOCKHOLDERS' ANNUAL MEETING—The Regular Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the FORT PITT COAL COMPANY, will be held at the Office of A. H. English & Co., 98 Fourth avenue, on TUESDAY, the 18th day of March, 1873, between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of Electing Nine Directors, a Treasurer and a Clerk to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be presented.

S. McCRICKART, President.

M. HEYL, Clerk.

NOTICES.

☞ OFFICE OF INSPECTOR OF GAS AND WATER METERS FOR ALLEGHENY COUNTY—Desiring that the public should more generally avail themselves of the advantages of this office, I would give notice to persons desiring to have their meters tested to leave their orders at the offices of their respective Gas Companies, or at my office, corner of Twenty-third and Smallman streets, and they shall receive prompt attention.

R. H. SMITH, Inspector.

☞ NOTICE—

STOCKHOLDERS OF

UNITED STATES BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

Are notified that the Annual Election for Officers will be held

Tuesday Evening, March 11, 1873,

AT CURRY INSTITUTE HALL.

J. M. GAZZAM, President.

J. HARVEY WHITE, Secretary.

☞ NOTICE—

To Licensed Liquor Dealers

OF THE

Second Ward.

In pursuance to instructions from the Executive Committee, there will be a meeting held THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock, at the National Hotel, for the purpose of organizing the SECOND WARD PROTECTIVE ALLIANCE and electing Permanent Officers. Every Licensed Liquor Dealer in the Ward is earnestly requested to be present. By order of

H. M. BENNETT, Temporary Chairman.

☞ MASS MEETING—

ALL CITIZENS

Opposed to "Local Option,"

Are cordially invited to be present at a

GRAND MASS MEETING,

TO BE HELD AT THE

New Market Hall, South Side

On Tuesday Evening, March 11th,

AT 8 O'CLOCK P. M.

Prominent English and German Speakers will be present and Address the Meeting.

South Side Fire Insurance Co.,

2633 CARSON STREET.

Insures against Loss or Damage by Fire on Dwellings, Stores and other Buildings, Furniture, Household Goods and Stocks of Merchandise at as liberal rates as are consistent with security. Losses promptly adjusted and paid.

R. B. BROWN, President.
HUGH LAFFERTY, Vice Pres't.
EDWARD KRIEG, Secretary.

Directors.

R. B. BROWN,
HUGH LAFFERTY,
J. G. FLEISHMAN,
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FRED. SCHULTE,
G. A. MUNDORF,
JOHN NUSSER,
JOS. KEELING,
ROBT. HOULDEN,
H. SUNSHINE,
GEO. GEYER,
A. RAPP,
ROBT. YOUNG.

NOTICE.

DISSOLUTION.

The Partnership heretofore existing under the firm name and style of LOUIS, GARTSIDE & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, THOMAS J. LOUIS, WM. R. WOODWARD and JAMES P. GARTSIDE retiring. The remaining partner, JOS. H. GARTSIDE will collect all debts owing to said firm and settle all accounts against the same.

T. J. LOUIS,
JOS. H. GARTSIDE,
WM. R. WOODWARD,
JAS. P. GARTSIDE.

Port Perry, Pa., March 7, 1873.

J. J. GILLESPIE & CO.,

86 WOOD STREET,

Manufacturers and Importers of Fine Walnut and Gilt

Mantel and Pier Glasses.

REGILDING OF ALL KINDS.

PAINTINGS REPAIRED, CLEANED AND VARNISHED WITH ESPECIAL CARE.
MIRRORS REMOVED AND REHUNG.

THE KENSETT COLLECTION OF PAINTINGS.

By order of the Executor the sale of over FIVE HUNDRED of the FINEST STUDIES AND PICTURES by the late

JOHN F. KENSETT,

Will take place in New York City, at ASSOCIATION HALL, commencing MONDAY EVENING, March 24, and ending Saturday evening, March 29th.

The collection will be on EXHIBITION at the Galleries of the NATIONAL ACADEMY OF DESIGN for several days previous to the sale

Persons unable to attend the sale may confide their orders to any of the following gentlemen, or to the Auctioneer, Robert Summerville:

D. Huntington, 49 East 20th street; H. G. Marquand, 21 West 20th street; J. W. Casilear, 51 West 10th street; Thos. Hicks, 6 Astor Place; J. M. Falconer, 42 Barclay street; S. R. Gifford, 51 West 10th street; W. Whittredge, 51 West 10th street; R. W. Hubbard, 51 West 10th street; Vincent Colyer, 23d street, corner Fourth avenue.

ROBERT M. OLYPHANT, Executor,
Twenty-third street, corner Fourth avenue,

Master Builders, Attention!

All Master Builders who have printed forms will have their remarks made upon them and left at the following places, by WEDNESDAY NOON, March 12th: Messrs. J. B. Ingham & Son and W. Peoples, of Allegheny; Messrs. A. & S. Wilson and E. Bindley, of Pittsburgh; Mr. Thomas Aiken, of Shady Side. The Commissioners will meet at 9 o'clock A. M. THURSDAY MORNING, March 13, at Mr. Thomas Aiken's, Shady Side, for the purpose of examining remarks and establishing prices of the different kinds of work. The Association will meet at TURNER HALL, Sixth avenue, Pittsburgh, FRIDAY, March 14, at 7½ o'clock P. M., to hear report from Commissioners. Full attendance is requested.

By order of the ASSOCIATION.

Recent Law Publications.

Langdell's Select Cases in the Law of Sales	$ 7 50
Bigelow on the Law of Estoppel	7 50
Morse on Arbitration and Award	6 50
Morse on the Law of Trade Marks	7 50
Perry on Trusts	7 50
Redfield's Leading Railway Cases	7 50
Waterman on Set-Off, Recoupment and Counter Claim	7 50
Smith's Leading Cases New and Revised Edition	12 50
Wigram & O'Hara on Wills	7 50
Drake on Attachment. New Edition	7 50
Fowell on Appellate Proceedings	5 50
Cooley on Constitutional Limitations	7 50
Dillon on Municipal Corporations	6 75
Brightly's Purdon's Digest. New and Revised Edition	15 00
Smith's Pennsylvania Reports. Vol. XIX	4 50
Pittsburgh Reports (Legal Journal condensed). 2 vols	12 00
Bennett & Heard's Leading Criminal Cases. New Edition. 2 vols	15 00

All the late Law Publications on hand, or furnished to order.

JAS. B. DODGE, Law Bookseller,
89 Fifth avenue, above Smithfield.

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SIMPLE, DURABLE and CHEAP, can be applied to any Window.

When the Window is closed it is securely Locked by its own action.

EVERY LOCK IS WARRANTED not to break or get out of order. Call and see them, at

Second Floor, 68 Fifth avenue.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE—LETTERS Testamentary on the Estate of LAWRENCE HOFFMAN, late of Lower St. Clair, Allegheny county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present them duly probated.

DORETHA HOFFMAN,
Executrix,
Lower St. Clair, Allegheny county, Pa.

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SHIRTS.

PUTNAM'S,

18 FIFTH AVENUE.

Few doors above Market street.

☞ New Bosoms and Cuffs put into Old Shirts.

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Iron Working Machinery,
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Lace Leather,
Union Stone Emery Wheels,
Hydraulic and Screw Jacks,
Babcock Fire Extinguishers,
Portable Engines,
Morse Twist Drills and Reamers,
Steam and Water Guages,
Steam Whistles.

MACHINISTS' SUPPLIES OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

No. 28 Wood Street, Corner Second Avenue.

SPRING, - - 1873.

HAINES & SHEIBLER,

94 WOOD STREET,

Are Receiving their Usual Attractive Stock of Seasonable

DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS,

All of which have been selected with great care, for this market, and will be offered at Prices to suit Cash and Short Time Buyers.

The attention of the Trade is specially invited.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, February 28, 1873:

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$1,817,457 66
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation		325,000 00
Other Stocks		12,812 50
Due from Redeeming and Reserve Agents	$379,232 36	
Due from National Banks	24,937 47	
Due from other Banks and Bankers	25,043 96	429,213 79
Banking House		137,000 00
Current Expenses		16,350 33
Cash Items, including Stamps	$ 16,852 10	
Exchanges for Clearing House	120,434 94	
Bills of National Banks	5,745 00	
Fractional Currency	7,719 83	
Coin	2,000 00	
Legal Tender Notes	220,000 00	372,751 87
		$3,110,586 14

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in		$ 500,000 00
Surplus Fund		355,186 18
Circulation Outstanding		270,000 00
Individual Deposits	$1,581,804 87	
Due to National Banks	361,267 33	
Due to Other Banks and Bankers	42,327 76	1,985,399 96
		$3,110,586 14

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY, } SS.

I, John D. Scully, Cashier of the First National Bank of Pittsburgh, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. D. SCULLY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of March, 1873.

S. SMITH, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
W. K. NIMICK,
ALEXANDER SPEER,
R. S. HAYS, } Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FARMERS' DEPOSIT NATIONAL BANK, at Pittsburgh, in the State of Pennsylvania, at close of business, February 28, 1873:

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$ 986,071 62
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation	300,000 00
Due from Redeeming and Reserve Agents	153,731 14
Due from National Banks	12,621 49
Due from State Banks and Bankers	105,861 50
Banking House	20,000 00
Current Expenses	2,585 71
Taxes Paid	3,032 81
Cash Items	3,070 73
Exchanges for Clearing House	74,670 23
Bills of National Banks	29,124 00
Fractional Currency, including Nickels	3,130 16
Specie, viz: Coin	1,343 00
Legal Tender Notes	140,000 00
	$1,835,242 39

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	$ 300,000 00
Surplus Fund	300,000 00
Profit and Loss	23,102 15
National Bank circulation outstanding	270,000 00
Individual Deposits	905,705 44
Due to National Banks	11,445 63
Due to State Banks and Bankers	24,989 17
	$1,835,242 39

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY. } SS.

I. S. George, Jr., Cashier of the Farmers' Deposit National Bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

S. GEORGE, JR., Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of March, 1873.

E. T. CASSIDY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
WM. WALKER,
JOHN McDEVITT,
CHAS. ARBUCKLE, } Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BIRMINGHAM, in the State of Pennsylvania, at close of business, February 28th, 1873.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$389,943 96
Overdrafts	3,359 25
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation	100,000 00
Due from Redeeming and Reserve Agents	36,777 95
Banking House	32,297 93
Current Expenses	153 23
Taxes Paid	1,199 35
Cash Items	7,492 74
Bills of National Banks	2,637 00
Fractional Currency (including Nickels)	967 68
Specie, viz: coin	27 00
Legal Tender Notes	25,300 00
	$600,156 09

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	$100,000 00
Surplus Fund	72,700 00
Discount and Interest	7,242 82
National Bank Circulation Outstanding	88,115 00
Dividends Unpaid	234 00
Individual Deposits	328,749 17
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	3,115 10
	$600,156 09

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY. } SS.

I, John P. Beech, Cashier of the First National Bank of Birmingham, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN P. BEECH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of March, 1873.

CHARLES EVANS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
JAMES FAWCETT,
FRED. L. IHMSEN,
H. SELLERS McKEE, } Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ALLEGHENY, at Allegheny, in State of Pennsylvania, at close of business on the 28th day of February, 1873.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$ 912,088 40
Overdrafts		5,333 15
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation		350,000 00
U. S. Bonds to Secure Deposits		50,000 00
Due from Redeeming and Reserve Agents		73,673 61
Due from National Banks		3,004 68
Due from State Banks and Bankers		4,610 12
Banking House		22,741 97
Current Expenses	$4,378 31	
Taxes Paid	3,381 67	7,759 98
Exchanges for Clearing House		33,288 34
Bills of National Banks		15,250 00
Fractional Currency (including Nickels)		1,283 75
Specie, viz: Coin		1,079 96
Legal Tender Notes		80,014 00
Interest		2,674 07
		$1,562,802 03

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in		$ 350,000 00
Surplus Fund		100,000 00
Discount	$ 18,668 32	
Exchange	3,662 88	
Profit and Loss	7,648 55	29,979 75
National Bank Circulation Outstanding		306,495 00
Dividends Unpaid		1,511 00
Individual Deposits		737,952 58
United States Deposits		34,057 22
Deposits of U. S. Disbursing Officer		1,953 49
Premiums		852 99
		$1,562,802 03

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY, } SS.

I, T. H. Nevin, President of the First National Bank, of Allegheny, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

T. H. NEVIN, President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of March, 1873.

HENDERSON E. DAVIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
J. B. ORR,
C. C. BOYLE,
JOHN THOMPSON, } Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE ALLEGHENY NATIONAL BANK at Pittsburgh, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, February 28, 1873:

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$1,033,766 37
Overdrafts		10,039 54
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation		500,000 00
Other Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages		27,600 00
Due from Redeeming and Reserve Agents	$99,503 53	
Due from National Banks	3,934 54	
Due from State Banks and Bankers	9,754 49	113,192 56
Banking House		39,113 25
Other Real Estate		33,665 07
Current Expenses		2,912 90
Taxes Paid		4,563 06
Checks on Bank not in Clearing House	$ 2,593 37	
Exchanges for Clearing House	95,159 91	
Bills of National Banks	12,894 00	
Bills of State Banks	914 00	
Fractional Currency, including Nickels	401 10	
Legal Tender Notes	180,000 00	291,962 38
		$2,056,815 13

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in		$ 500,000 00
Surplus Fund		162,000 00
Exchange	$ 5,298 76	
Interest	10,752 78	16,051 54
National Bank Circulation Outstanding		436,090 00
State Bank Circulation Outstanding		5,183 00
Dividends Unpaid		2,461 50
Individual Deposits	$921,008 91	
Due to National Banks	3,673 38	
Due to State Banks and Bankers	10,346 80	935,029 09
		$2,056,815 13

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY, } SS.

I, W. McCandless, Cashier of the Allegheny National Bank, of Pittsburgh, Pa., do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. McCANDLESS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of March, 1873.

S. SMITH, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
J. W. COOK,
D. R. GALWAY,
B. H. RUBLE, } Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE PEOPLE'S NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, at Pittsburgh, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, February 28th, 1873:

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$1,212,539 30
Overdrafts	5,927 73
U. S. Bonds to secure Circulation	900,000 00
Other Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages	3,000 00
Due from Redeeming and Reserve Agents	137,122 39
Due from National Banks	23,024 65
Due from State Banks and Bankers	21,704 35
Banking House	93,850 00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,280 97
Current Expenses	2,447 36
Taxes Paid	5,614 19
Cash Items (including Stamps)	966 81
Exchanges for Clearing House	31,684 97
Bills of National Banks	11,055 00
Fractional Currency (including Nickels)	1,212 27
Legal Tender Notes	184,014 00
	$2,639,423 90

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock Paid in	$1,000,000 00
Surplus Fund	115,000 00
Discounts, Exchange and Interest	29,085 16
National Bank Circulation Outstanding	800,000 00
Dividends Unpaid	1,557 00
Individual Deposits	611,603 56
Certified Checks	6,009 87
Due to National Banks	47 43
Due to State Banks and Bankers	2,684 24
Notes and Bills Rediscounted	73,434 64
	$2,639,423 90

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY. } SS.

I, F. M. Gordon, Cashier of the People's National Bank of Pittsburgh, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. M. GORDON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 7th day of March, 1873.

GEORGE I. WHITNEY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
SAML. REA,
B. F. JONES,
GEO. W. HAILMAN, } Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, PA., at the close of business, February 28th, 1873:

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$2,292,333 02
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	927,000 00
Due from Reserve Agents	169,510 89
Due from other National Banks	51,323 27
Due from State Banks and Bankers	16,961 28
Banking House	60,000 00
Taxes and Expenses	15,344 53
Cash Items	20,637 57
Exchanges for Clearing House	103,634 34
Bills of National Banks	16,127 00
Fractional Currency	6,815 96
Coin	3,262 50
Legal Tender Notes	190,533 00
	$3,872,503 36

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$1,700,000 00
Surplus Fund	340,000 00
Undivided Profits	120,351 32
National Bank circulation outstanding	799,260 00
State Bank circulation outstanding	3,855 00
Dividends Unpaid	4,305 00
Individual Deposits	795,371 80
Due to National Banks	87,892 95
Due to State Banks and Bankers	21,467 29
	$3,872,503 36

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY. } SS.

I, Andrew Long, Cashier of the Exchange National Bank of Pittsburgh, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. LONG, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of March, A. D., 1873.

WM. F. ROBB, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
MARK W. WATSON,
CHAS. H. ZUG,
CALVIN WELLS, } Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK, at Pittsburgh, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, February 28th, 1873.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$1,073,722 85
Overdrafts		589 00
U. S. Bonds to secure Circulation		514,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand		3,000 00
Due from Redeeming and Reserve Agents		84,914 28
Due from National Banks		35,453 80
Due from State Banks and Bankers		10,093 08
Banking House		32,761 61
Current Expenses		6,366 07
Taxes Paid		4,193 10
Cash Items		3,675 33
Exchanges for Clearing House		66,148 70
Bills of other National Banks		28,600 00
Fractional Currency, including Nickels		4,307 24
Coin on hand		1,705 00
Legal Tenders		153,000 00
		$2,022,530 06

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$ 800,000 00
Surplus Fund		158,840 41
Interest and Exchange		34,959 14
National Bank Circulation Outstanding		450,000 00
Dividends Unpaid		2,100 25
Individual Deposits	$512,019 78	
Due National Banks	62,179 40	
Due State Banks and Bankers	1,331 08	575,530 26
Cashier's Checks Outstanding		1,100 00
		$2,022,530 06

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY, } SS.

I, R. K. Wilson, Cashier of the Citizens' National Bank, at Pittsburgh, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. K. WILSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of March, 1873.

GEORGE I. WHITNEY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
B. L. FAHNESTOCK,
J. J. GILLESPIE,
WM. S. BISSELL, } Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE TRADESMEN'S NATIONAL BANK, Pittsburgh, at close of business, February 28th, 1873:

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$1,008,140 56
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation		389,000 00
U. S. Bonds to Secure Deposits		50,000 00
Due from Redeeming and Reserve Agents	$236,827 41	
Due from other National Banks	13,407 81	
Due from other Banks and Bankers	28,202 35	278,437 57
Cash items (including stamps)	$ 858 52	
Exchanges for Clearing House	81,527 01	
Bills of other National Banks	2,403 00	
Fractional Currency, including nickels	1,217 83	
Legal Tender Notes	125,377 00	211,383 36
		$1,936,961 49

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in		$ 400,000 00
Surplus Fund		65,000 00
Interest and Exchange		46,022 21
National Bank Circulation Outstanding		318,000 00
Individual Deposits	$509,594 03	
United States deposits	20,302 91	
Due to National Banks	331,474 69	
Due to other Banks and Bankers	246,567 65	1,107,939 28
		$1,936,961 49

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY. } SS.

I, Cyrus Clarke, Jr., Cashier of the Tradesmen's National Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CYRUS CLARKE, Jr., Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of March, 1873.

WM. BINGHAM, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
WILLIAM H. BROWN,
JOHN F. DRAVO,
SAMUEL M. KIER, } Directors

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE GERMAN NATIONAL BANK, of Pittsburgh, Pa., at the close of business, February 28th, 1873.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$ 797,676 36
Overdrafts		1,141 73
U. S. Bonds to secure Circulation		250,000 00
Due from Redeeming and Reserve Agents	$187,529 20	
Due from other National Banks	14,729 44	
Due from other Banks and Bankers	5,027 39	207,286 03
Banking House		43,899 18
Furniture and Fixtures		2,126 16
Current Expenses	$ 4,164 19	
Interest Paid	7,857 13	
Taxes Paid	3,098 48	15,119 80
Cash Items	$ 6,391 09	
Exchanges for Clearing House	22,000 83	
Bills of other National Banks	6,555 00	
Fractional Currency, including Nickels	504 22	
Legal Tender Notes	126,480 00	161,931 14
		$1,479,450 42

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 250,000 00
Surplus fund		115,000 00
Discount and Interest	$30,251 33	
Exchange and premiums	1,302 35	
Profit and Loss	643 59	32,197 27
National Bank Circulation Outstanding		225,000 00
Individual deposits	$645,998 98	
Due to National Banks	148,743 99	
Due to other banks and bankers	61,715 18	
Cashier's Checks outstanding	795 00	857,253 15
		$1,479,450 42

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY. } SS.

I, Jos. Laurent, Cashier of the German National Bank of Pittsburgh, Pa., do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOS. LAURENT, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of March, 1873.

S. SMITH, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
CHRISTIAN SIEBERT,
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Phœnix Hall,

ELEVENTH STREET,

On Wednesday, 12th inst.,

AT 3 O'CLOCK,

For instructions in regard to the coming Election. Any Township or Borough that may have been unavoidably omitted, will please send a Delegate at the same time without further notice.

PITTSBURGH.

WARD.
1st. John Milligan,
2d. H. M. Bennett,
3d. John Kleppner,
4th. Wm. Roeckeisen,
5th. James Quinn,
6th. John Richardson,
7th. M. Johnston,
8th. Henry Wilson,
9th. James Wiggins,
10th. John Grant,
11th. Daniel McBride,
12th. A. J. Cochran,
13th. R. Scheffhauer,
14th. Alex. Scott,
15th. Charles Hilger,
16th. Charles Blume,
17th. John Smith,
18th. Nicholas Hoffman,

WARD.
19th. J. C. Clark,
20th. Christ. Haus,
21st. Richard Thompson,
22d. J. M. Carson,
23d. John Davis,
24th. John Lutz,
25th. Christ. Feld,
26th. M. Engelking,
27th. A. Ammon,
28th. E. Kauffield,
29th. R. Runk,
30th. E. Colwes,
31st. John Snook,
32d. John Wilbert,
33d. Christ Wilbert,
34th. Fred. Kauff,
35th. Adam Wagner,
36th. Robert Smith.

ALLEGHENY CITY.

WARD.
1st. William Boloe,
2d. Lawrence Sproul,
3d. Isaac Stern,
4th. Wm. Burdett,

WARD.
5th. Adam Gilg,
6th. G. W. Exler,
7th. John Walter,
8th. Joseph Lofink,

9th. Edward Sweeny.

BOROUGHS.

Mansfield, Peter Wilbert,
Sharpsburg, J. Schield,
Etna, Henry Seitz,
Millvale, C. Bauerlein,
Braddocks, C. Speidel,
McKeesport, D. G. Lindsay,
Port Perry, T. Lawrence,
Oakdale, Samuel McKee,
Williamsburg, Eli Wycoff,
Coulterville, J. Skillen,
Buena Vista, James Lord,
Natrona, R. Hengl,
Elizabeth, Amos Sarver,
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The Daily Commercial.

TUESDAY, MARCH 11, 1873.

GENERAL NEGLEY has again placed us under obligations for a number of valuable public documents.

THE New York Legislature has passed a bill to legalize contracts for advertisements made with newspapers published on the Sabbath day.

THE members of the Forty-second Congress are, it appears, to pocket their $5,000 salary steal, after all. No matter. The people have long memories, and mean exactly what they say when they talk about economy and reform—as these avaricious politicians will be likely to find to their cost.

THE Philadelphia *Press* has arrived at the conclusion that the United States Senate "is not particular about its character." The editor of that paper was for a considerable period permitted to hold the position of Clerk to that branch of the National Legislature. It is not probable, however, that any reference to this fact was intended in the opinion above quoted.

SPEAKING of the failure of the minority representation proposition in the New York Constitutional Commission, a New York paper, whose editor is a member of that body, says that "Democrats, more than Republicans, appear to favor the scheme." Of course they do—for the simple yet sufficient reason that that party, which is considerably in the minority in that State, thinks it sees therein a chance for the restoration of its own lost ascendancy and power. This accounts for the milk in that cocoanut.

THE PEOPLE of the Southern States are gradually becoming aroused to the importance of a proper promotion of educational interests. Both branches of the Tennessee Legislature have united in the enactment of a law providing a uniform system of free schools. The law provides ample revenue for superintendents, directors and all grades of necessary officers. If properly enforced, Tennessee will in a few years show a vast improvement in her educational record, with a corresponding advancement in all the elements and arts of civilization and progress.

THE press of New York is earnestly engaged in discussing the question of the punishment of FOSTER, the car-hook murderer, respited by Governor DIX until the 21st inst. The verdict and sentence, as sustained by the Court of Appeals, imply that FOSTER intended to take his victim's life. The application to the Governor asserts that he only intended "a cruel and dangerous but not deadly assault" on him. Here is the pivot of the dispute. The punishment for the former is death; for the latter the friends of the convict are now content with life imprisonment. Considerable feeling is manifested on both sides of the question.

THE FIRST of the spring elections will take place in New Hampshire to-day, in which State a Governor, Legislature, and members of Congress are to be chosen. The campaign is said to have been one of the most quiet ever known. With local questions only at issue, however, it is not surprising that this should have been the case, particularly when the exciting contest of last year is taken into account. Probably neither party will cast its full vote by some thousands. The vote for President in November last was: GRANT, 37,184; GREELEY, 31,421; O'CONOR, BLACK, and scattering, 508. Last spring Gov. STRAW had 909 majority over all. The present Congressional representation of the State is unanimously Democratic.

THE *Financial Chronicle* considers the most noticeable feature of Secretary BOUTWELL's last debt statement to be the reduction of the greenback issues to the aggregate of three hundred and fifty-six millions, which for several years had been the maximum; until in October last, when, in consequence of the Boston fire and of apprehended trouble to the money market, four and a half millions more were issued during the Secretary's absence from Washington. These new greenbacks have all been withdrawn; thus refuting the predictions so rife of late that further issues are to be hereafter made on some pretext or other, to the extent of many millions. The same paper calls attention to the fact that the pestiferous "gold clique" are manœuvering for a sudden rise at an early day. They are reported to wield a large capital, and to have bought up twelve or fifteen millions of the gold floating in the street, by which deliveries are made and custom duties paid. Their object is supposed to be to make cash-gold scarce, and when they have got up sufficient pressure, to turn the screw and mark up the price.

ENGLAND is slow to adopt American ideas, but they are gradually securing a foothold. Railway travelers are often greatly inconvenienced by the manner in which baggage is transported in that country. It is tumbled pell-mell, into a van, the company not holding itself responsible for its safe carriage or delivery at its destination; as a result of which the traveler has to look after it himself. To overcome this evil, a novel insurance system has been inaugurated in London, under the name of the Railroad Passengers' Luggage Insurance and Baggage Delivery Company, capital $1,000,000. Tickets of insurance are granted for luggage at a low rate, on the same principle as that adopted by the accident insurance companies for personal accidents. These tickets will be issued at every station, irrespective of distance, and to cover a specified number of packages, according to the amount insured for. At the termination of the journey, if the luggage is not forthcoming notice is to be sent to the insurance company immediately, and if, at the expiration of one month, the missing package or packages can not be traced, the amount insured for, or a due proportion thereof, will be paid on a formal declaration being made. Few persons would object to paying a few cents to assure the safe delivery of their trunks and parcels or a guarantee of indemnity in case of their loss.

SOMEBODY has said: "If you want to make an enemy of a man, place him under obligations to you." There is a professedly "independent" newspaper published in Philadelphia, upon whose editor the Republican party has showered most liberal honors and rewards; yet who, since the humiliating defeat of himself and his fellow conspirators, in their late treacherous attempt to deliver the Commonwealth and the country into the hands of the opponents of the best interests and welfare of both, does little else but snap and snarl at the heels of the great organization it impotently endeavored to betray, or miserably whines and whimpers over the "loss of influence," of "fearless journals;" such, we suppose, as are illustrated by the peevish puerilities which drone up and down its own columns. "What is called morality," says that paper—in trying to prepare itself for the rejection by the people of the work of the Constitutional Convention—"is a dull, lethargic thing," and then it goes on substantially to charge that "all the wealthy, the aspiring, the industrious, are at the feet of 'rings.'" Yet, while in one breath that sheet thus slanders and insults the intelligence and conscience of a great people, in another it fairly smothers with praise such men as BLACK, BUCKALEW, WOODWARD, MCCLURE and CURTIN—whom the aroused masses of the Commonwealth so recently overthrew in a whirlwind of righteous indignation. Faugh! Nevertheless, "public opinion in the United States is a curious philosophy." And the proof of it consists in the fact that it continues to bear with patience and serenity the constant buzzing of the weak waspishness of that paper.

BALLOTING for a United States Senator from Massachusetts, to fill the vacancy caused by the promotion of Senator WILSON to the Vice Presidency, will begin in the Legislature of that State to-day. The candidates for election are Secretary BOUTWELL, Congressman DAWES, Judge HOAR, Dr. LORING, ex-Solicitor General WHITING, Speaker SANFORD, of the Massachusetts Legislature, and Hon. CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS. The friends of Secretary BOUTWELL are reported as conceding that there is a majority against him; but it is expected he will be the leading candidate, and will combine enough strength to eventually secure his election. Either of the respective candidates would make a good Senator generally, although it would perhaps be difficult to find another seven men more unlike each other than they are. Only two similar contests have been known in that State for upwards of sixty years; indeed, it is probable that no State in the Union has had so few Senatorial contests as Massachusetts. This is chiefly owing to the fact that one party, under various names, has virtually controlled the Legislature of the State from the time of the adoption of the Federal Constitution. The present contest is not a struggle between different political parties or principles, but is simply one of those contests that inevitably arise in a political organization which has triumphed in almost every conflict in which it has been engaged. It is merely a contest about men, slightly affected by local feeling. Either of the candidates might be chosen to the Senatorship without making the slightest difference in a political sense—all of them being Republicans, men of talent, and of ripe political experience. Whoever, therefore, is elected, the struggle is certain to end in a Republican victory. Hence we can afford to await the result with perfect composure.

OUR ALLY IN PERIL.

In view of the absolute indifference with which the sayings and doings of the American branch of the International Society are regarded in this country, the importance attached to the plans and movements of the society in Europe seems at first glance absurd. Reported illustrations of the fact seem almost incredible. Thus, the announcement recently made that Count SCHOUVALOFF, Chief of the St. Petersburg Police, and late special Commissioner to England, was likely to succeed Baron BRUNNOW as Russian Ambassador at the Court of London, was explained in intelligent foreign journals by the suggestion that the agents of the Internationals in Western Europe, and especially in England, required more vigilant watching than ever on the part of Russia, and that no less astute and accomplished observer than the Count was thought equal to the task. It was alleged that recent legal investigation had proved the existence of intimate relations between the leaders of the terrible society and the leaders of the Nihilist party in the Russian empire.

Though the statement made by the cable a few days ago concerning the outbreak of an insurrection in the Muscovite governments of Volhynia and Podolia has been since formally contradicted, there can be no doubt about the extensive prevalence of discontent and a rebellious spirit not only in the governments named, but in others also. Socialistic and communistic schemes of all kinds find ready acceptance among Russians of the lower orders, as they are called, and indeed such schemes for the most part appear to them as methods of realizing dreams which they have long cherished. In their extreme ignorance they are quite unable to reason out or imagine the practical difficulties and disadvantages which inhere in them, and the economical system with which they are already familiar may be said to have educated or prepared them for the delusion. They know nothing of individual ownership in land. The land is the possession of each collective community, among whose male members it is distributed by lot in equal portions every ninth year. And with this institution is closely connected another which directly tends to destroy the feeling of individuality which raises one of the strongest barriers against the intrusion of socialism. The community in the aggregate being regarded as the sole possessor, and the land which it possesses being regarded as a single whole, not individuals as such, but the community is held responsible for the rent, taxes and other dues which are payable to the real proprietor or lord of the manor. This arrangement was long ago recognized by the government as one cause of the low condition of Russian agriculture, and yet through dread of the possible evil consequences of a radical change, it allowed the system to remain when it abolished serfdom. Within the last few years, however the Czar has been trying to introduce reform in some provinces, by dividing the land into farms to be held and cultivated permanently by the persons to whom they are assigned and, in other cases by permitting the peasant if he pleases, to have his farm set off from the land of the community. Responsibility for the payment of rent, taxes, etc., has also in these cases been transferred from the community to its constituent members.

But the change, so manifestly demanded by the agricultural interest duly understood and likely, indeed certain to be most beneficent in its effects upon the condition of the peasantry, has produced the most violent discontent in some of the governments in which it has been made. The International leaders, constantly on the lookout for troubled waters wherein to fish, at once set their agents in the disaffected districts with the purpose of organizing conspiracies against the government in the interest of the Commune, and of urging the discontented peasants into open revolt. They may or may not have effected so much already; but there is abundant evidence that the St. Petersburg government looks upon the agitation with considerable anxiety. This concern may not, however, be ascribed wholly to the disaffection of the peasants. In fact, in the course of a trial for high treason lately concluded, proofs were produced that a conspiracy designed to revolutionize the government, and having its ramifications in every part of the empire, has patrons among the highest members of the nobility. Of the nobility many have never forgiven the Czar for his violent interference with serfdom and others of them are bitterly hostile to him as an enemy of venerable Muscovite customs and as a patron of reform. But the real peril of the conspiracy no doubt consists in the general awakening of the younger Russian generations of the middle and upper classes, to the political bondage and degradation of their condition as the subjects of one of the most relentless despotisms that have ever existed. The feeling having been aroused, it cannot but steadily grow stronger under the influence of increasing light; and sooner or later, it will certainly result in a decided and well organized attempt to abolish the intolerable oppression. In the meantime, discontent and socialism among the peasants and the rebellious tendencies and movements of the various fanatical religious and political sects in which the empire abounds, serve to encourage more intelligent enemies of the gigantic despotism, by showing how weak it may really be, in spite of the vast extent of the earth's surface upon which its shadow rests.

M. ABOUT AND THE REPUBLIC.

According to M. EDMUND ABOUT, the monarchists of France who have been taught by experience and the situation to see the safety of the country in the maintenance of the republic, are to be reckoned by hundreds of thousands. They are sentimental believers in royal government as the form best suited to the French people, and when "the compact of Bordeaux" was established, they regarded monarchy as essential to the restoration and prosperity of France, but having witnessed the admirable results of M. THIERS's administration that is, of republicanism, as it seems to them, they now say, "we shall get out of all our difficulties and flourish as of old, if we can only save the republic." But there is the rub; to save the republic is the watchword of French patriotism, but multitudes are paralysed by doubt as to the possibility of the result.

M. ABOUT therefore applies himself to the task of pointing out the strength of the republic in the feebleness of its enemies. In order to set up a king in France, he says that it would be necessary to give to the National Assembly a measure of cohesion and audacity which it has lacked from the beginning. True, it once dared to declare itself invested with constituent powers, but from such an assertion to actual exercise of the functions claimed there is a long distance. Thus far its most energetic efforts in that direction have had the most insignificant and abortive issues, and M. ABOUT is confident that as often as it shall attempt to play a great part and take the republican bull by the horns, three-fourths of the members will be seen to shrink away from the undertaking "or prudently sacrifice their monarchical faith on the altar of conciliation."

It would appear also that there is just as little to be feared from those who aspire to a French throne. An aspirant, consumed by ambition, smitten by his star and urged on by his supporters, may resolve to engage blindly in a criminal and formidable enterprise and fling himself alone across the national will, saying, if the people do not hang me to-day, I shall be master to-morrow. But seven hundred and fifty or even four hundred men will never agree for the benefit of an individual to risk so absurd an adventure. In the interest whether of a good young man (the Count of PARIS) or of an estimable fat man (the Duke of CHAMBORD) to let loose civil war and incur the just rigors of fortune, such an act, says M. ABOUT, is not in French character or even in human nature. Suppose, however, that as the result of party spirit, or chivalry, or servility, or of that strange and complex madness which drives certain persons to brave the palms of martyrdom for a chamberlain's key—suppose that a majority of the Assembly should declare themselves in favor of monarchy as the best government for France. M. ABOUT would still not despair of the republic. The two pretenders to the throne, though they may adore each other, are as difficult to bring together as the poles. Though of the same blood, they are divided by circumstances in their family histories which can never be forgotten. They have not the same flag, and whichever of them should renounce his own, would degrade himself in the estimation of his party and of all France. In fact, they represent two antagonistic principles, divine right and popular right, reaction and the revolution. The Duc de CHAMBORD, the more legitimate of the two aspirants, is favored as destined to restrain and curtail all modern liberties, while the claims of his more intelligent rival, the Count de PARIS rest upon the memories of a reign relatively liberal. To melt these two candidates into one, says ABOUT, is not absolutely impossible; LA FONTAINE proves its practicability in his fable of the wolf and the lamb; one has only to devour the other. But until one of them shall have devoured the other, the witty writer thinks that good Frenchmen may sleep in tranquility, the republic is not in danger.

The just decision is announced by Secretary Delano that the British citizens of the island of San Juan, lately awarded to the United States, shall not be prejudiced by the transfer.

GENERAL AND PARTICULAR.

The Relief Committee of Boston have written a letter, saying that no aid is required for the sufferers by the great fire in November. They say they have met all demands, and have reserved a trust fund of $80,000 for the benefit of the families of the firemen who lost their lives.

Philadelphia congratulates itself on saving $200,000 by the postponement of the vote on the Local Option bill until the regular election.

A "Universal Exhibition traveling and central office" has been established in Vienna for the purpose of meeting in various ways the wants of the thousands of strangers expected in that city the coming summer.

The Exposition managers at Chicago, St. Louis and Cincinnati are already busy making preparations and devising attractions for their approaching exhibitions.

A bill for a temperance law similar to those of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, is before the Missouri Legislature.

Spring, with that nameless pathos in the air,
Which dwells with all things fair,
Spring, with her golden suns and silver rain,
Is with us once again.

"The richest silver mine in the world," according to local authorities, has been discovered in Tinker mountain, Boutetourt county Virginia.

It is a remarkable fact that in the State producing the largest quantity of "spirits" the expense of collecting the revenue is less than in the other States. Of about $100,000,000 of internal revenue collected for the year 1872, over $90,000,000 was derived from "spirits" and fermented liquors.

Missouri is engaged in a warm struggle on the subject of freight discriminations. A bill is pending in the Legislature similar to the Illinois bill which has just received adverse treatment at the hand of the judiciary.

The Samana Bay Company has adopted a flag and seal. The colors of the former are blue, red and white, and the device of the seal includes figures of Columbus and Liberty, with the inscription "Onward," and the name of the company.

A project is on foot among numerous New York ladies for forming an insurance company having only women for officers, agents and policy-holders. The wives of eminent merchants and financiers, several well-known literary ladies, and some of the formost names in general society, are already on the list of those deeply interested.

The *Evangelist* is authority for the statement that more than 800 Presbyterian clergymen—not counting editors, secretaries, and missionaries—are absolutely unemployed, idle in the vineyard, without anything to do in their profession.

A granite company at Gloucester, Mass., have recently taken out two immense blocks of granite for the base of the Scott monument at Washington, one to weigh 125 tons and the other 90 tons when dressed.

Illinois is passing from a wheat into a corn State. The acres sowed to wheat in 1871 were 2,004,392, against 2,259,648 in 1859 and against 6,923,076 sowed to corn in 1871 and 2,470,043 to other field products. The wheat production seems to follow the pioneer line and cover the newest settlements.

Work is to begun at once on the enlargement of the Welland Canal, and the construction of the Bate Verte Canal. Ground will be broken on the St. Lawrence Canal next spring, and these three great works will thus be completed at the same time.

PERSONAL.

The executors of the estate of the late Thaddeus Stevens have resolved to sell the "Caledonia Iron Works," with about 16,000 acres of land, including ore mines belonging to the estate, situated ten miles east of Chambersburg Franklin county, Pa., and for that purpose have placed the same in the hands of Mr. Simon Stevens of this city. The proceeds of sale under the will of the "Old Commoner," in a certain event, are to be given "to erect, establish and endow a house of refuge in Lancaster, Pa., for the relief of homeless, indigent orphans, who have lost either parent." Mr. Stevens's will provides that in this institution "no preference shall be shown on account of race or color in the admission and treatment—neither poor Germans, Irish or Mohammedans, nor any others, on account of their race or religion of their parents, must be excluded."

United States Senator Anthony, after having been unanimously chosen for four years to fill the office of President *pro tempore* of the Senate, has declined re-election, and Senator Carpenter was designated by the caucus to succeed him.

Mr. Greeley left a handsome sum—to wit, $140,000—in worthless notes and paper. This is another proof that it is easier to make money than to keep it when made.

Ex-Governor Holden, of North Carolina, has been appointed Postmaster at Raleigh, in that State.

M. D. Conway writes to the Cincinnati *Commercial* concerning the remarkable career of Edward Danreuter, a precocious boy, who a few years ago was an itinerant street musician in Cincinnati. He subsequently removed to London and married a beautiful Greek lady of wealth and position. He now resides in a beautiful home in Orme square at the West End of London—the house mentioned in Carlyle's Life of Sterling, who was some time a resident therein—and is rapidly rising in fame both as a pianist and as the leading interpreter of the so-called "Music of the Future."

Professor Tyndall was formally congratulated last week by the Royal Institution on the success of his American tour.

The colossal bust of John Howard Payne, by Henry Baerer, which was ordered by the Faust club, of Brooklyn, for erection in Prospect Park, has been cast in plaster and is now receiving at the hands of the sculptor a few finishing touches preparatory to its reproduction in bronze. This model has been worked up from a small daguerreotype taken just before Payne's departure from this country in 1852, and all who have seen it and who were familiar with the poet concur that the sculptor has achieved an excellent portrait.

The daughters of the late Mr. Greeley have determined to retain the management of the Chappaqua farm.

Col. H. B. Branch, of Kansas City, Mo., has written a long letter to Gen. Joseph O. Shelby, advising that the old Confederates act hereafter with the Republican party.

Pauline Lucca (Baroness von Rahden) has declared her intention to become a citizen of the United States. Her voice should tell in the affairs of the country.

Dr. Greer, a rich man who recently died in Massachusetts, left the shortest will on record, viz: "Be it understood, I leave $500 to Thomas Restieaux; Edward B. W. Restieaux, $300; residue to my nephews and nieces, children of John." The document was duly attested and probated.

The venerable Josiah Quincy advocates the purchase by the Federal government of some of the great railroad thoroughfares between the East and the West.

Mark Twain is once more called upon to give up the authorship of his own books. This time it is not an English publisher, but a Russian journal. It has confused Mark Twain and Henri Taine in a criticism of the latter. "Innocents Abroad," it says, "is an entirely different vein from his other works, and likely to give him a high reputation as one of the cleverest humorists of the continent." Well, there are innocents abroad!

STATE NEWS.

A young man named George Davis, of Greenville, who has been subject to fits, became unsettled in his mind, and on Tuesday night of last week, when the cold was intense, wandered away from home without hat, coat or shoes. A search was instituted by the neighbors, and bloody foot-prints found in the snow; but the young man was not discovered until six o'clock Wednesday morning, when he was seen by a laborer in an orchard, "tramping rings," as he explained, "around the apple-trees." Davis's feet were covered with ice, and icicles hung from his hands. The physicians called decided that it would be necessary to amputate both feet, and perhaps both hands, in order to save his life. Until he lost his reason he was the sole support of his mother and her family, who is thus left doubly distressed.

Eli Perkins will lecture in Oil City this evening, and in Franklin to-morrow evening.

A son of Mr. John C. Martin, of Parker township, Butler county, was kicked by a horse, a few days since, and so severely injured that he died in a few minutes.

The Presbyterian congregation of Sharon have determined to build a new church, to cost $30,000. The Methodists of the same place also talk of a new edifice.

Whith Haven school boys are allowed to carry pistols, and as a result, Albert Fellows was shot through the wrist and in the hip by the accidental discharge of a revolver in the hands of Frank Wallace. This during school hours, too.

Scranton has two new officers, known as "small-pox policemen," and has taken steps to secure a pest house.

Jacob Kepler, a Williamsport butcher, laid a wager that he could slaughter and dress, ready for market, ten sheep in one hour. The work was done last week, and he won by a minute and a half—having accomplished his task in 58½ minutes. He on one occasion dressed a bullock in eleven minutes.

The Odd Fellows of Waynesboro, Franklin county, will commence the erection of a handsome new hall in that place in April.

Mrs. Reehm, of Pleasant Gap, Center county, seventy years of age, has recently pieced a quilt containing 5,068 pieces.

Spotted fever is quite prevalent in portions of Center county, and is generally fatal.

A man in Easton has sued the members of a fire company for trespass for getting on the roof of his house to extinguish the flames in an adjoining building.

Harriet A. Swingle has just secured a verdict of $925 damages, in an action for breach of promise of marriage, against Sophronius B Shafer in the Venango county court. She will therefore, be content to live Swingle a year or two more.

Iron has been purchased for the New Castle and Franklin Railroad, and track laying will commence in about two months. It is expected that trains will be running between New Castle and Mercer in July.

Mr. Joseph B. Reed, formerly connected with the Philadelphia *North American* as literary reviewer and foreign editor, died very suddenly at his residence in that city, on Thursday evening.

About seventy persons have been converted in a series of meetings held recently by Rev J. A. Hume, in the new Methodist Episcopal church at Hanna's Corners, Crawford county. About thirty persons of this number are in the married relation, and an unusual large percentage about forty years old.

General Jesse C Horton, at one time a prominent Democratic politician in Northumberland county, died last week, aged seventy-six.

At the meeting of the Philadelphia Historical Society, last evening, the vast manuscript collections of the Penn family, who for nearly a century were governors and sole proprietors of the vast domain of Pennsylvania, were formally presented to the Society. Mr. Craig Biddle made a speech on the occasion.

The Pottsville *Standard* says: Mrs. Mary Reichert, of Ashland, daughter of Jonathan Faust, Esq., of Gordon, this county, died Thursday of dropsy. She was probably the largest person in this State, weighing, it is said, five hundred pounds at the time of her death.

Phillip Haffner, a prominent brewer of Marietta, Lancaster county, died at his residence, in that borough, on Friday, after a very short illness. He owned a considerable amount of property and had established a trade that would keep him in easy circumstances during his life. When the local option question was first talked of Haffner formed an impression that if the Local Option law would pass he would lose all his property, and his prospects in life would be destroyed forever. On Friday he became suddenly ill and was taken to his bed, where he became delirious. A physician was called in, but he was unable to ease the patient in any manner, and he died the same evening. From the moment of his sudden illness to his death, the deceased spoke no word save those of "option" and "local option." The physician and relatives in vain endeavored to get information as to whether he had any pain. All he would say was "option, option." The deceased was a man who was temperate in his habits, and was universally liked for his kind and generous disposition.

On Friday morning Aaron Hughes, of Safe Harbor, left for Lancaster in company with a friend. He apparently was in good health when they started, but as Lancaster was approached he complained to his companion of being very unwell. At Millersville he was transferred from the sleigh in which he had been seated to a wagon on the way to the city. He had not gone far before he fell back and exclaimed, "I am going to die!" These were the last words he uttered, and in the afternoon at three o'clock he expired. Congestion of the brain caused his death.

The New Castle *Journal* says: On Tuesday evening last, Thomas McGinty was badly burned while taking a sleep in one of the arches of the Shenango furnace. His clothes caught fire on his back, and but for a bucket of water thrown on him, would have been much worse than it was. Dr. J. W. Wallace dressed the wounds. McGinty was taken to the Poor House on Wednesday. He is a man of intemperate habits.

A man in Phillipsburg, who had "pane in the stumick," sent to a Scranton doctor for some "medison or a purshipon" for it.

Mr. Charles Gaumer, of Macungie, Lehigh county, was run over by a sleigh on Thursday last, and so badly hurt that he died on the day following.

A three-year-old daughter of Mr. James Dawson, of South Bethlehem, was burned to death, a few days since, her clothes having caught fire while she was playing near the stove.

A Catholic church is to be built at Petrolia City, this spring.

The following is a transcript from the docket of Elisha Marvin, Justice of the Peace in Erie county in 1808: "Commonwealth of Pennsylvania *vs.* Jared Goodrich. On complaint of Jared Goodrich (of himself) for breach of the peace, by driving his team from the township of Erie to the township of Greenfield, in the county of Erie, on the Lord's day. Be it remembered that on the 22d day of Feb., in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eight, Jared Goodrich, of the township of Greenfield, in the county of Erie—yeoman—is convicted on his own confession, before me, Elisha Marvin, a Justice of the Peace in and for said county, of driving his ox team from the township of Erie to the township of Greenfield, in said county of Erie, on the 21st day of February inst., being the Lord's day, commonly called Sunday, contrary to the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided, and I do adjudge him for the same to forfeit and pay the sum of four dollars, in accordance with said Act of Assembly."

Two paper mills are to be built in Tiffin this season.

Twice 26,353 loving hearts were made to beat as one, in the State of Ohio last year, and 1,026 matrimonial knots were severed.

The Hiram correspondent of the Ravenna *Press* says that the peaches in that upland region have not been killed by the severity of the past winter. The *Sentinel* reports all the peaches in Ashtabula as being "killed entirely." It is the general impression that the peach crop in Trumbull county the coming season will be exceedingly small.

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FINANCE AND TRADE

MONDAY EVENING, March 10, 1873.

The local money market shows but little change worthy of mention. The general characteristics which we have noted for the past few days have been intensified and rates are hardening. Borrowers who depend on outside capital find loans hard to make, as the new recruits to the great army of the impecunious are more than a corporal's squad. As a result of the declaration of the Secretary of the Treasury that he had the right to issue $44,000,000 of legal tenders the markets for stocks and bonds are active. Gold is strong throughout the day, and touched the highest point for 18 months. The supply of cash gold is evidently scarce, and this is beginning to be felt, as cash gold was worth 1-32 for use over night. Carrying rates are from 1 to 5 per cent. per annum. Rates for use are given as follows: 30 days, 1-16 to ⅛; 60 days, ⅛ to ¼; 90 days, ¾; 4 months, ½; 6 months, ⅛ to ¼. Currency is worth for 30 days, 7 per cent. and ⅛; 60 days, 7 per cent. and ½; 90 days, 7 per cent. and ⅛, indicating an active money market for the next three months. Should the Secretary of the Treasury act upon his asserted authority, we may look for a season of furious speculation with wide fluctuations in stocks.

—Messrs. Ira B. McVay & Co. report the following quotations of Government bonds in New York to-day, as furnished them by Jay Cook & Co., their correspondents:

	Morn.	Noon	Eve.
U. S. Bonds of 1881	118⅜	......	118⅜
U. S. Bonds of 1862	115⅜	115⅜	115⅜
U. S. Bonds of 1864	115½	115⅝	115⅝
U. S. Bonds of 1865	116	116	116
U. S. Bonds of 1865, new	114½	114⅜	114⅜
U. S. Bonds of 1867	116⅛	116⅛	116⅛
U. S. Bonds of 1868	116⅛	116⅛	116
10-40s	....	11⅝	110⅛
New 5s	113	......	113⅛
Gold	115⅜	115⅜	115⅜
Currency	113⅜	113⅜	113⅜

—James T. Brady & Co., corner of Fourth avenue and Wood street, quote United States securities in New York to-day as follows:

Gold	115⅝
United States 6s of 1881	118⅜
United States 5-20s of 1862	115⅜
United States 5-20s of 1864	115⅜
United States 5-20s of 1865	116
United States 10-40s	110⅛
United States 5-20s, January and July, 1865	114⅛
United States 5-20s, January and July, 1867	116⅛
United States 5-20s, January and July, 1868	116⅛
Currency Pacifics	113⅜

—The following table shows the prices of railway stocks, gold, &c., at the various sessions of the New York Stock Exchange during the day, furnished by Geo. I. Whitney, Esq., broker and dealer in stocks, bonds and gold, corner of Fifth avenue and Wood street:

March 10 1873.	10:30 A.M.	11:30 A.M.	12:30 P.M.	1:00 P.M.	2:30 P.M.	3:00 P.M.
Gold	115⅜	115⅜	....	115	115⅝	115⅝
Canton	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Western Union Tel	86⅜	89⅜	87⅜	87⅜	87⅜	88
Quicksilver	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	43⅜	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pacific Mail	58⅜	58⅜	59⅜	59⅜	60⅜	60⅜
Adams Express	....	94⅜	....	94⅜	....	....
Wells Fargo Express	....	82	....	82	....	....
American Express	....	66⅜	....	67	....	....
United States Express	....	72⅜	....	73	....	....
New York Central	105	104	105⅜	104⅜	105	106⅜
Erie	64⅜	64⅜	65⅛	65⅜	65	65⅜
Mich. So. Central	[illegible]	107⅜	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Michigan Southern	94⅜	94⅜	95	95⅜	[illegible]	95⅜
Illinois Central	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	122⅜	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cleveland and Pitts	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	90	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago and N. W.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago and N. W. pref	[illegible]	89⅜	[illegible]	89⅜	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rock Island	115	115⅜	115⅜	115	116⅜	116⅜
St. Paul	[illegible]	53⅜	[illegible]	53⅜	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Paul pref	[illegible]	73	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wabash	[illegible]	73⅜	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wabash pref	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fort Wayne	[illegible]	93⅜	[illegible]	94	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ohio and Mississippi	46⅜	46	[illegible]	46⅜	[illegible]	[illegible]
Union Pacific	35⅜	35⅜	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	35⅜
Chicago and Alton	[illegible]	108	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago and Alton pref	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Boston, Hart. and Erie	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Harlem	[illegible]	136⅜	136	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
New Jersey Central	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	103⅜	[illegible]	[illegible]
C., C. and I. C.	[illegible]	[illegible]	40⅜	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hannibal and St Jo	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	41
Iron Mountain	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	45⅜
Atlantic Mail	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

—When reading of the great furor in the New Jersey Legislature on the occasion, a day or two ago, of the passage of the General Railroad bill through the House by a unanimous vote, we thought such sudden harmonizing of interests so recently violently antagonistic must cover something not clearly seen. It seemed hardly possible that the majority in the Senate, after badly defeating their opponents one day, could in a manner so lamb-like and bland, go over the next in the House, making the same opposition so insanely happy. It isn't nature, and, in the language of the lobby, we thought of "a tab," and that probably the Senate had not conceded much that was esteemed of any great value. The Newark *Advertiser* yesterday confirms our suspicions, for it says "the passage of a General Railroad bill is more consolatory than satisfactory." It admits that it was done in good faith by a majority of the members, and does not doubt that the merits of the bill or its chances in the Senate, which, it says, "can afford to be virtuous now. But its practical working is another matter, and the Senate majority know it." The *Advertiser* says "they have broken the Air Line project. No road south of that can sustain itself except under Pennsylvania control. To the north there are some opportunities, but they are non-competing in the main. The Air Line bill was a truly competing measure. Having beaten that, the Pennsylvanians can be generous without expense to themselves—a happy position to occupy in the affairs of life. They have added to, instead of decreasing, their monopoly." Still the *Advertiser* discovers some hope in the passage of a General Railroad law, and under it looks for stimulation of enterprise in the northern part of the State.—*Ledger.*

—Messrs. Robinson Bros., bankers, No. 78 Fourth avenue, furnish the following telegraphic report of quotation of active stocks on the Philadelphia Stock Board to-day:

Penn'a Central	50⅜	Phila. and Erie	26
Reading	57⅜	Lehigh Navigation	37⅜
United Co's, of N. J.	121⅜	Pittsburgh 5s	71
Oil Creek & A. V. R.	33⅜	A. V. R. R. 7-30s	91
Lehigh Valley R. R.	60⅜	Central Transpor'n	48

PRODUCE AND GENERAL MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL,
MONDAY, March 10, 1873.

REMARKS.—The weather continues mild and pleasant, and the streets are daily thronged with pedestrians of all sexes, ages, nationalities, and colors, seemingly glad that they can once more venture forth upon the streets without regard to the warnings of Jack Frost. We are reported an improved trade in all departments, and ere many days elapse the volume of business will reach such proportions that even the most sanguine will be astonished. Prices, as a general thing, rule very uniform, with the exceptions of bacon and provisions, which show a decided upward tendency, the advance being noted below.

The following are the wholesale rates of the market, unless special mention is made to the contrary:

APPLES—Receipts 127 bbls. Sales at 75c to $2 50 ⅌ bbl., as to quality and condition. Market dull.

APPLE BUTTER—Demand fair at 50@55c per gallon.

ASHES—Common soda ash 4⅛a4½c; refined 5⅛a6c; pots, 9⅛a9⅜c; pearls, 11c; arsenic, 3⅛a3½c; nitrate soda, 4⅛a5c; black lead 6c.

ALE—X, $9 per bbl; XX, $10; porter, $10; India ale, $11.

BUTTER—Receipts 31 packages against 68. The prices of prime roll for table use may be quoted at 34a36c; good to prime 24a27c ⅌ lb.

BACON AND PROVISIONS—Following are the revised quotations at which leading houses make sales: Sugar cured hams 13⅛c; sugar cured shoulders 8⅜c; plain shoulders 7⅛c; rib sides 9⅜c; clear rib sides 9c; clear sides 9⅛c; breakfast bacon 12c; dried beef 18c; mess pork $16 00; ham sausage 10c; lard, in tierces, 9⅛c; in half bbls, 10⅛c; in kegs, 10⅛c; in buckets, 10⅛c; pigs feet, ⅌ keg, $2 20; in half bbls $4 50.

BEANS—White navy $2 50@2 75 ⅌ bushel.

BEESWAX—Market quiet at 38a40c ⅌ lb.

BAKING POWDER—Banner—1 lb cans, $4 00 ⅌ doz; ½ lb cans $2 25; ¼ lb cans $1 75.

BROOM CORN—Sales in a small way at 4½a7c.

CHEESE—New York Goshen 17c; Ohio do 15½c; Dairy 14c; Factory 15c; Sweitzer 14a16c.

CRANBERRIES—Sales Sackett's and Cargy's berries at $14a15 ⅌ bbl; cultivated and common $9a13.

CEMENT—Calcined plaster $4 25a4 50 per bbl; Beeson's hydraulic cement $2 00@2 25; Louisville $2 50@2 75; Rosedale $4 00@4 25.

CARBON OIL—Sales at 15⅛a15⅜c for car lots, with the usual advance for small store lots.

CONCENTRATED LYE—Sales at $3 ⅌ case.

DRIED FRUITS—Market dull at 7⅛@9c for peaches halves; choice apples 5a6c; fair, 4@4½c.

EGGS—Prices are weak and lower. We quote fresh at 19@20c. Receipts on the increase.

FLOUR—No change in prices, with trade reported very active. We quote as follows: Choice red winter wheat flour $9 00@9 25 ⅌ bbl; Penn Mills, white wheat, $9 25; Rising sun, red, $8 25; Minnesota Island $8 50; Barn's Wisconsin $7 75. Rye flour $5 75. Receipts 1,437 bbls.

GROCERIES—Following are the ruling rates in this market:

Sugars.—Knight's yellow 8⅜c; Knight's extra C 10⅛c; H & E, yellow, 10c; H & E C, 11c; H & E, extra C, 11⅛c; Phenix, yellow C, 11c; Calvert's extra C 11⅛c; Calvert's extra B 11⅜c; Calvert's A 12c; crushed 13⅛c; powdered 13⅛c; granulated 13⅛c; cut loaf 14c; Demarara 11⅛c; New Orleans 10a11c.

Coffees—Fair 20@20⅜c; good 21⅛@22⅛; prime 23@23⅛c; strictly prime 24@25c; fancy 26@26⅛; roasted, loose 27⅛c; in packages, 28c.

Syrups—Common 28@40c; Crystal 55c; H & E XXX 60c; maple flavored 60@65c; Union 70c; Phenix 70c; white drips $1 30.

Rice—Carolina 8⅛a9c; Rangoon 7⅛@7⅛c.

New Orleans Molasses—Choice 80c; strictly prime 77c; prime 73c ⅌ gallon.

Pacific Syrup—73c.

Raisins—Layers $2 50; Valencies 10½c; Muscatels $3 20; seedless $5 50 ⅌ box.

GRAIN—Receipts since our last, by rail and river, were as follows:

Wheat, sacks	173	Corn, sacks	291
Barley, sacks	2,466	Rye, sacks	222
Oats, sacks	370		

The market remains substantially unchanged, and we quote as follows: Prime red winter $1 75@1 80 ⅌ bushel; white, $1 85@1 90. Oats firmer. We quote prime white 44@45c ⅌ bushel; good mixed 41@43c; black 39@40c. Corn—Market unchanged in prices; shelled, on track, 49@50c; free in elevator 50@51c; ear, in bulk, 49@50c; sacks, 50a52c. Rye 85@88c. Barley—Fall 95c@$1; spring 85a90c ⅌ bushel.

HAY—There is an increased demand, and sales are reported of baled on wharf and track at $23a28 ⅌ ton.

HONEY—Sales at 25@27c ⅌ lb.

HOMINY—Sales at $4 25@4 75 ⅌ lb.

HOPS—55@60c for 1871s; 1870s not saleable.

LIME—Cleveland white $2 ⅌ lb; Eastern $1 75.

LARD OIL—Sales at 70@72; jobbing lots, 72@73c ⅌ gallon.

MILL FEED—Bran 90a95c ⅌ cwt.; middlings $1 10@1 25.

MINCE MEAT—Choice brands 12c ⅌ lb.

ONIONS—Yellow $6@7; red $4 50@5 00. Stocks light.

POTATOES—Lake Shore peachblows, on track, 77@78c; store 82@85c. Mixed at lower rates.

RAGS—Sales at 3⅛@3⅛c ⅌ lb.

SALT—Sales extra No 1 at $1 65 ⅌ bbl; No 2 $1 15.

SAPOLIO—$6 00 ⅌ case of 6 doz each.

SEEDS—Clover seed $5 50@5 75; timothy seed $4 00@4 15; flaxseed $1 95@2 00 ⅌ bush.

TALLOW—Sales at 7⅛@8c ⅌ lb.

WHISKY—Highwines 93c ⅌ gal.

PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL,
TUESDAY, March 11, 1873.

REMARKS.—The market continues in the same unsettled condition we left it on Saturday, there being no change as relates to prices or demands, the supply of crude and refined being in excess of the demand. Sales of crude were reported at Parker's at $2 00@2 05, extreme rates, equal to 5⅛@5⅜c here. For prices at other points in the oil regions, see our dispatches.

REFINED.

Dealers report sales of car load lots of standard brands, free on cars at works, at 15⅛c. Lots of 500 to 1,000 bbls can be obtained at lower prices.

[By Western Union Telegraph Line.]

TITUSVILLE, PA., March 10.—The *Herald* says: The markets to-day were weak, and not characterized by any special change. Sales—

800 bbls upper road, spot	$2 00
1,500 bbls upper road, spot	2 02⅛
500 bbls Oil City, spot	2 00
1,500 bbls Oil City, spot	2 02⅛
1,000 bbls Parker's, spot	2 05
500 bbls Parker's, spot	2 02⅛
400 bbls Parker's, spot	2 00
250 bbls Tidioute, spot	1 95
1,000 bbls Tidioute, spot	1 95

NEW YORK, March 10—Closing.—Crude in bulk quiet at 8⅛c, the best price offered, with 8⅜c asked. Refined depressed, with sales of 2,000 bbls at 18⅜c, closing at 18⅛c. Cases reported quiet at 25c. Philadelphia dull and weak; March delivery 18c; April 18⅛c first half, 18⅜c last half; May 18⅜c.

TIDIOUTE, March 10.—Market weak and not fairly opened yet; spot $2 00@2 02⅛.

PETROLEUM CENTRE, March 10.—Market dull at $2 10.

ROUSEVILLE, March 10.—Market quiet and dull—quoted at $2 00@2 05.

OIL CITY, March 10.—Market dull at $2 20; upper road $2 00; lower road $2 05.

PHILADELPHIA, March 10.—Market dull; S. W. 18⅛c; crude 13⅛c. Cases 25c; April 18⅛c; May 19c.

[By Pacific and Atlantic Telegraph Line.]

PHILADELPHIA, March 10.—Refined 18⅛c; Crude 8c in bulk; barrels 14c.

Crude Oil Received by A. V. R. R.

Shipper.	Consignee.	Bbls.
B S Duncan	Riverside Oil Works	859
Tack & M	Citizens' Oil Works	691
J Bushnell	Crystal Oil Works	390
Lockhart, B & Co.	Brilliant Oil Works	771
N W Stevenson	Peerless Oil Works	463
J Bushnell	Standard Oil Works	784
W W Nichols	Peerless Oil Works	240
Fisher Bros	C C Beggs	148
Fisher Bros	Freedom Oil W'ks	318
B S Duncan	American Oil Works	80

Crude Oil Received by Rail and River.

	Bbls.		Bbls.
Riverside Oil W'ks	859	Citizens' Oil Works	691
Crystal Oil Works	390	Brilliant Oil Works	1,771
Peerless Oil W'ks	683	Standard Oil W'ks	784
Freedom	318	C C Beggs	148
American Oil W	80		
Total			4,724

Shipments of Refined Oil East via A. V. R. R., W. P. R. R. and P. R. R.

WEST PENN JUNCTION, March 10, 1873.

Shipper.	Consignee.	Bbls.
Central Ref'g Co	J F Logan, Phila	984
John Spear & Co	Waring, K & Co, Phila	100
S Irwin & Co	Waring, K & Co, Phila	942
Vesta Oil Works	Waring, K & Co, Phila	850
Citizens' Oil Co	Tack Bros & Co, Phila	410
Livingston Bro	Warden, F & Co, Phila	150
Total		3,376

IRON MARKETS.

BOSTON.

March 8.—The market for both pig and bar iron is very firm, and prices tend upward. Reports from abroad indicate a constant hardening in the market for refined bar. Prices have now reached a point which prevents any American importations, and dealers are compelled to replenish their stocks from American mills. These are firm in their prices, and some of them refuse to take orders at a fixed rate, on account of the high cost of scrap and pig iron. Others are filling orders at about 4⅛ cents, the ruling Philadelphia price. Some New England mills are selling at the same price. Scotch pig is very firm and owing to the smallness of the stock here, and the advices from abroad, prices are [illegible]. We hear of a dealer who paid $65 for a lot of Coltness for a customer, but some houses quote lower prices. Some holders of American are asking higher prices than last week, but lots can be bought at our lowest quotations.

We quote lots of American pig at $55@58 ⅌ ton, including No 2 extra at $53@54, and No 1 at $56@58. Scotch is held firmly. We quote Eglinton at $60, Coltness at $65@70, Gartsherrie at $61@62, Charcoal at $55@65.—*Commercial Bulletin.*

PHILADELPHIA.

March 8.—Pig iron meets a limited demand, with sales of 500 tons No 1 foundry at $50; some No. 2 at $48; [illegible] forge, at Hoboken, at $41 50; and 2,000 tons Schuylkill and Susquehanna do do, at the furnace, at $47 per ton.

Manufactured Iron—Bar is quoted at 4 2-10c ⅌ lb.

Scotch Pig—We quote Eglinton and Glengarnock at $55.

Nails command $5 25 per keg.

Old metals are quiet. We quote:

Brass, light	16 @17 c	Copper, h'vy 25	@26½c
Brass, heavy	20 @22 c	Zinc	4½ c
Copper, light	24 @24½c	Lead	6 c

Anchors and chains are unchanged. Sales of the former at 9⅛c, and the latter, 1½ inch, at $6 50.—*Price Current.*

WOOL MARKETS.

BOSTON.

March 8.—There is no improvement to note in the market for wool, which remains very much depressed. In fact, sales have been made this week at lower prices than last week, and there appears to be less "bottom" to the market now than at our last writing. There seems to be no good cause for this condition of things. The stock of good fleece wool in this market is not heavy, and manufacturers are carrying light stocks; but each holder seems anxious to sell, and buyers of course take advantage of this desire, and crowd prices down. During the past few days purchasers have had things entirely their own way, buying at about their own prices, and even when getting wool on their own terms have not purchased heavily. The opinion among the trade seems to be that the bottom has been reached, but everything is unsettled and uncertain.

The sales of good western fleeces have been small. Ohio has sold at 58a60c; Michigan at 54a57c, and other grades in proportion. Pulled wools are quiet, and sales are made at prices which vary so widely as to render it almost impossible to give quotations. Foreign wools are selling at a reduction about equal to that on domestic. A fair price for choice lots of Cape wool, as the market goes, is 36c, though some small and very choice lots bring a little higher price. Inferior grades are selling as low as 32c. Reports from the London sales state that the market for Australian is without change. There have been some purchases on Boston account, at prices which will make scoured cost about the same as scoured Ohio bought at current rates.

Receipts of wool for the week ending March 6th foot up 3,328,000 bales domestic, and 1,014,000 bales foreign.

Sales for the week have been 560,000 lbs domestic and 86,000 lbs foreign. Included in the former are the following sales of fleece: 40,000 lbs at 57a60c; 32,000 lbs Ohio at 60c; 40,000 lbs do on private terms; 5,000 lbs Michigan at 55c; 5,000 lbs do at 58c; 6,000 lbs medium at 55a57⅛c; 5,000 lbs do at 56c; 4,800 lbs Pennsylvania XX at 60c; 5,000 lbs New Hampshire at 60c; 10,000 lbs do at 62c; 3,000 lbs No 1 and 2 at 15a25c; 1,000 lbs coarse at 50c. In unwashed the sales have been 1,000 lbs at 35c, and 30,000 lbs at 40c.

In pulled wool the sales have been 1,000 lbs extra at 50c; 7,000 lbs do at 55c; 2,700 lbs do at 56c; 3,000 lbs do at 57c; 10,000 lbs do and super at 55c; 10,000 lbs do at 68c; 7,000 lbs super at 53a55c; 3,000 lbs do at 60c; 4,000 lbs do at 68c; 2,500 lbs No 1 at 45c.—*Commercial Bulletin.*

New York Finance and Trade.

Gold Closed at 115⅜a115½.

NEW YORK, March 10, 1873—P. M.

The week opens with marked changes in the aspect of speculation, and evidences of lively times ahead. Gold declined—the bulls having unloaded on Friday and Saturday to the amount of nine to twelve millions—fear of an increase of sales by the Treasury adding to the depression. Stocks have advanced materially, owing to the formation of a new pool of one hundred thousand shares of Pacific Mail. Washington telegrams are to the effect that the Treasury currency balance is so low, and with large prospective payments, that the Secretary will be compelled to call on his $44,000,000 reserve, or sell more gold. At the last moment it was stated that the Treasury currency balance has been increased since Saturday, from $2,000,000 to $3,600,000.

MONEY.

Money active and stringent early in the day, at ⅛ per diem, but became easier, and closed at 7 per cent., gold.

EXCHANGE.

Sterling exchange strong and higher at 107⅞.

GOLD.

Gold declined from 115⅜ to 115, closing at 115⅜a115⅜. Loans 1 32a1-16 for use, then flat to 1-32 to carry. Clearings $124,000,000. One mercantile firm is reported to have taken $3,000,000 on Saturday, while others were large buyers. The Treasury disbursed $125,000. Custom receipts $351,000.

GOVERNMENTS.

Governments opened heavy and closed firmer and higher.

U. S. coup 1881	118⅜	5-20s, 1867	116⅛
5-20s, 1862	115⅜	5-20s, 1868	116⅛
5-20s, 1864	115⅜	New 5s	113⅜
5-20s, 1865	116⅛	10-40s	110⅛
5-20s, 1865, new	114⅜	Currency 6s	113⅜

STATE BONDS.

State bonds quiet and steady.

Missouri 6s	93a93½	Virginia, old	45
Tennessee, 6s, old	81	North Carolina, old	30
Tennessee, new	81	North Carolina, new	17
Virginia, new	50		

RAILROAD BONDS.

Railroad bonds quiet and steady.

STOCK EXCHANGE.

Stocks have been active and have advanced ⅛a1 per cent. in consequence of the easing up of money, fall in gold, and the dispatches from Washington above alluded to. Pacific Mail was the great feature and advanced from 58⅜ to 60⅜, closing at nearly the highest rate. A new pool of 100,000 shares is said to have been formed in this stock, one individual contributing forty thousand shares of long stock, and the remainder being taken by a number of operators. After Pacific the leading dealings were in Western Union, which ranged from 86⅜ to 88; Lake Shore from 94⅜ to 95⅜; Columbus, Chicago and Indiana Central from 40 to 41; New York Central from 104⅜ to 106⅜; Harlem from 134⅜ to 138⅜; and Rock Island from 114⅜ to 116⅜; while Panama rose from 94 to 122⅜; Union Pacific from 35⅜ to 35⅜; Ohio from 46 to 46⅜; Wabash from 73⅜ to 74⅜, and Erie from 64⅜ to 65⅜. The whole market fell off a trifle after three o'clock, but finally closed very strong.

Canton	100	N. J. Central	103
Western U. Tel Co.	87⅜	Wabash	74
Quicksilver	43⅛	do preferred	84
Adams Express	94⅛	Ft. Wayne	94
Wells Fargo & Co.	82⅛	Terre Haute	15
American Express	67	do preferred	40
U. S. Express	73	Chicago & Alton	108
Pacific Mail	60⅜	do preferred	110
N. Y. Central	106	C. C & C	[illegible]
Erie	64⅜	Ohio & Mississippi	46
do preferred	74⅜	Burlington & Quincy	110
Harlem	136	Lake Shore	93
do preferred	137	Panama	40
Michigan Central	107⅜	Illinois Central	124
P. Ft. W. & C	89	Union Pacific	38
Northwestern	81	Central Pacific	103
do preferred	89⅛	Union	80
Rock Island	116⅛	Del. & Lackawanna	101
St. Paul	53	Hartford & Erie	8
do preferred	73	Bankers Bills	107

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, ILL., March 10, 1873.

FLOUR—Demand fair and market firm, mainly for low grades; No 2 red winter $3 75a4 80; extra spring $6 00a7 00.

GRAIN—Wheat dull; No 1 spring Chicago $1 29; No 2 do $1 21⅜, cash; $1 22⅜ seller April; No 3 do $1 10; rejected 89a93½c, according to location. Corn steady, with a moderate demand, at 32⅜@32⅜c cash; 32⅜a32⅜c seller April; [illegible] seller May. [illegible] No 2, 26⅜c [illegible]. Rye steady and firm; No 2, 67c. Barley steady and in moderate demand; fall No 2, 70a74c.

SEEDS—Clover seed dull but unchanged at $5 60a5 80; Timothy quiet and unchanged.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork nominal at $14 00a15 20 cash; sales at $14 62⅛, [illegible]. Lard steady; sales at $8 00 cash; seller April $8 05; seller May $8 25. Bulk meats steady at [illegible]; sales short rib middles at 7⅛c, cash; 8⅛c seller April, all loose; shoulders 5⅛c, packed. Bacon quotable at 6⅛a8⅛c, packed.

DRESSED HOGS—$5 50a5 65.

WHISKY—Dull and prices are nominal at 86a86⅛c.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, March 10.—Cotton in moderate export, with a better spinning demand; middling uplands 20⅛c; sales of futures, 28,100 bales, as follows: [illegible]. Flour [illegible]; receipts 9,000 bbls; superfine western and State $6 00 a6 75; common to good $6 80a7 60; good to choice $7 65a8 40; white wheat extra $8 50a9 60; extra Ohio $7 00a10 50; St. Louis $7 50a12 75. Rye flour quiet; inferior to fancy superfine $4 65a6 00. Whisky a shade lower at 91⅛c. Wheat very dull, nominal and unchanged; freight room scarce; receipts 5,000 bushels; [illegible]. Rye, barley and malt unchanged. [illegible]. Corn quiet; receipts 15,000 bushels; [illegible]. Oats firmer; [illegible]. Hay quiet. [illegible]. Eggs dull and heavy at 25⅛a26c. [illegible]. Molasses quiet. [illegible]. Rice [illegible]. Coffee quiet. Sugar in moderate demand and firm. [illegible]. Pork [illegible]; new mess $16 00. [illegible]. Lard [illegible]. Butter and cheese unchanged.

New York Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK, March 10.—Total receipts of beeves 6,400 head, against 7,300 head the previous week; to-day 140 cars at One Hundredth street, $1 car at Communipaw, and 28 cars at Weehawken, making 4,250 head; trade fair and prices a shade stronger; quality rather better; 38 cars Texans generally selling at 10a12c; medium to good 12a12⅛c; prime 12½a13c; choice 13⅛a14c; [illegible]. Sheep and Lambs—Total receipts 16,000 head, against 20,000 head the previous week; trade more active and prices firmer; [illegible]. Hogs—Total receipts 25,400 head against 29,900 head the previous week; only 4,400 head of western dressed [illegible]. [illegible].

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, March 10.—Cotton dull and prices are nominal; low middling 19⅛c; middling 19⅛c. Flour steady; superfine winter $4 25a4 50; extra $4 75a5 25; double extra do $6 50a7 00. Wheat—Soft spring scarce; No 2 spring Chicago $1 30; No 3 fall $1 80; No 2 do $1 90. Corn [illegible]; No 2 mixed, 33⅛c, east track. Oats [illegible]. Rye [illegible]. Barley quiet and firm; [illegible]. Whisky steady at 88c. Pork firm at $15 00. Dry salt meats steady. Bulk meats—Clear rib sides 7⅛c; clear sides 7⅛c. Bacon firm at 6⅛a8⅛c. Lard nominal at 8⅛c; held higher. Hogs steady; common $5 00. Cattle steady; Texan $3 37⅛a4 75; good to choice beeves $4 50a5 82⅛.

Louisville Market.

LOUISVILLE, March 10.—Bagging dull at 13a14c. Cotton dull and prices have declined; low middling 18⅛c; middling 19⅛c. Flour firmer for all grades; extra family $7 25; No 1 $1 70. Wheat steady at $1 80. Corn firm; white mixed and white 40a42c. Oats firm at 38a39c. Rye easy at 80c; all on arrival. Mess pork held at $15 50a15 75 in lots. Bacon shoulders 6⅛a6⅛c; clear rib sides 8⅛a8⅛c; clear sides 8⅛c; [illegible]. Lard firmer; choice leaf tierces 9⅛a9⅛c; kegs 9⅛c; small lots on orders 10⅛c. Whisky [illegible].

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, March 10.—Cotton dull; low middling 18⅛c. Flour steady, with a moderate demand at $7 75a8 00. Wheat steady at $1 72a1 75. Corn—Demand fair and market steady at 38a40c. Rye steady at 85c. Oats quiet and firm at 38a43c. Barley quiet and unchanged. Groceries firm. Linseed oil steady, with a moderate demand. Provisions steady. Mess pork $15 00. [illegible]. Bulk meats firm and large sales for future; shoulders 5⅛c; clear rib sides 7a7⅛c; [illegible]. Bacon firmer; shoulders 6⅛c; clear rib sides 8⅛c; clear sides 8⅛c, with sales. Whisky steady at 85c.

New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, March 10.—The week commenced with a snow storm which checked business materially. The market for cotton goods generally firm at current quotations. Wide sheetings are in demand and sell up to agents. Denims and cottonades are steady. [illegible]. Prints moderately active. [illegible]. American worsted dress fabrics are selling well. Foreign dress goods, alpacas and Mohairs fairly active.

Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, March 10.—Flour unchanged. Wheat dull; western red $1 70a1 90; amber $1 90a2 00. Corn dull; white 65a66c; yellow 64c. Oats steady; western mixed 50a51c. Rye [illegible]. Provisions quiet and firm. Mess pork $16 00a16 25. Bulk meats—Shoulders 6⅛c; [illegible]. Bacon—Shoulders 6⅛c; [illegible]; sugar cured hams 14a15c. Lard 8⅜c. Butter steady and scarce. Whisky 94⅛c.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, March 10.—Flour dull; superfine $4 75a5 50; extra $5 50a6 75; Wisconsin $7 50a8 25; [illegible]. Wheat [illegible]. Rye 88c. Corn [illegible]. Oats dull; white mixed 45a47c. Crude petroleum 13⅛c; refined 18⅛c. Whisky 94c.

Toledo Market.

TOLEDO, March 10.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat quiet and unchanged; amber Michigan $1 69⅛; seller April $1 70a1 72; seller May $1 75a1 76⅛; No 2 red Illinois $1 72. Corn quiet and unchanged; high mixed 39c; low mixed 38c; yellow 39⅛c. Dressed hogs $6 00. Clover seed $5 25. Oats 35c.

Nashville Market.

NASHVILLE, March 10.—Cotton steady; low middling 17⅛c. Flour—Choice family $9 75a10 00. Wheat $1 70a1 80. Corn 53c on track in depot. Oats 45a46c. Provisions active. Bulk meats—Clear rib sides 8c; clear rib 8⅛c. Country bacon—Shoulders $9 50. Lard—Kettle dried, 9c. [illegible].

Memphis Market.

MEMPHIS, March 8.—Cotton dull and prices drooping; good ordinary 17a17⅛c. Flour quiet and unchanged at $7 00a8 50. Oats good at 46a48c. Hay dull at $24a25. Bran active at $21. Bulk meats dull and scarce at 5⅛a8⅛c. Lard firm at 8⅛a9⅛c. Pork firm at $15a16 50.

Indianapolis Market.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 10.—Flour quiet at $5 50a9 50. Wheat quiet and unchanged at $1 50a1 60. Corn steady at 30a34c. Oats 28a30c. Provisions quiet; bulk shoulders 5⅛c; clear rib sides 7⅛c; clear sides 7⅛c. Bacon—Shoulders 6⅛c; clear sides 8⅛c. Lard firm at 8⅛c. Hams steady at 8⅛a9⅛c.

Philadelphia Live Stock Market.

PHILADELPHIA, March 10.—Beeves in fair demand; sales 2,000 head extra State and western steers at $7 25a7 75; fair to good $5 50a7 00; common $4a5; sheep in fair demand; sales 9,000 head at 5⅛a8⅛c. Hogs in demand at full prices; sales 5,000 head at 18 25a8 75.

Cleveland Market.

CLEVELAND, March 10.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat quiet; No 1 red winter held at $1 70a1 72; No 2 at $1 66. Corn quiet at 40c. Oats [illegible]. Refined petroleum in good demand and unchanged.

OCEAN STEAMERS.

Date of Departure from New York.

1873.

Calabria	March 12	Liverpool.
Italy	March 12	Liverpool.
Glamorgan	March 12	Cardiff.
Frisia	March 13	Hamburg.
Minnesota	March 13	Liverpool.
City of Brussels	March 15	Liverpool.
Adriatic	March 15	Liverpool.
Parthia	March 19	Liverpool.
Canada	March 19	Liverpool.
Manhattan	March 19	Liverpool.
Westphalia	March 20	Hamburg.
City of Antwerp	March 22	Liverpool.
Ville de Paris	March 22	France.
Baltic	March 22	Liverpool.
Arragon	March 25	Bristol.
Cuba	March 26	Liverpool.
Greece	March 26	Liverpool.
Wisconsin	March 26	Liverpool.
Thuringia	March 27	Hamburg.
City of New York	March 29	Liverpool.
Celtic	March 29	Liverpool.
City of Paris	March 29	Liverpool.
Abyssinia	April 2	Liverpool.
Nevada	April 2	Liverpool.

RIVER TELEGRAMS.

Brownsville, Pa.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

BROWNSVILLE, PA., March 10, 1873.

River stationary, with about eight feet of water in the channel. Weather cloudy; thermometer forty-five at six P. M. C.

Wheeling W. Va.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

WHEELING, W. VA., March 10, 1873.

Weather cloudy and cool. The Express left for Parkersburg at 10:30 A. M.; the Brill for Nashville at 4 P. M. A large number of tow boats passed up yesterday and to-day. River eight feet three inches and rising. M.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, MO., March 10.—Arrived—Mollie Moore, Pittsburgh; Commonwealth, New Orleans; Coal Hill, Cowan and Ironsides, Cairo; Mary McDonald, Ouachita; John Means, Ohio river. Departed—Katie Kellogg and barges, New Orleans; City of Chester, Memphis; Coal Hill, Cairo. River rising slowly, with prospects of a speedy swell of two or three feet. Ice started on the lower rapids and is breaking up in various points below. The Illinois is also breaking up, and a boat will leave here for Peoria to-morrow. Weather warm, heavy rain storm this evening, with thunder and lightning.

For Latest River Dispatches see Fourth Page

RIVER NEWS.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

Arrived.

Bennett	Carmack	Brownsville.
Hector	R. R. Abrams	Brownsville.
West Virginia	Donaldson	Brownsville.
Elizabeth	Houghton	Elizabeth.

Departed.

Bennett	Carmack	Brownsville.
Hector	R. R. Abrams	Brownsville.
Elizabeth	Houghton	Elizabeth.
Carrie Brooks	Darlington	Wheeling.
Messenger	Cock	St. Louis.

MONONGAHELA—Seven feet ten inches and rising.

Boats Departing This Day.

Geneva mail packets		8 A. M. and 5 P. M.
Geneva	West Virginia...Donaldson	3 P. M.
Cincinnati	Granite State...Kerr	4 P. M.

THE MARKS last evening indicated seven feet ten inches and rising steadily. There will be plenty of water for coal purposes to-day and to-morrow. The coal men are making their arrangements accordingly.

THE Monongahela and Allegheny rivers are rising at headwaters.

THE towboat Hornet No. 2 is on her way up with a tow of empty barges.

THE steamer Carrie Brooks left for Wheeling on time, with a fair trip.

THE steamer Exchange is the only boat loading for St. Louis. She will have dispatch.

THE towboat Keystone is on her way up with a tow of barges loaded with empty barrels.

DURING the month of February, the receipts of salt by river at Cincinnati, amounted to 13,721 barrels.

THE Esperanza will remain in the Red river trade, taking the place of the Glasgow in the St. Louis Car Line.

THERE was a good deal of slush ice running in the Monongahela. The river men say it was of no account.

THE steamer Messenger, Capt. Cock, left for St. Louis with an excellent trip. Pilots, W. Abrams and A. Bunting.

THE steamer Juniata, Captain C. L. Brennan, is announced for Cincinnati and way points on Wednesday. So make ready.

THE coal boat men were busy yesterday in getting their boats in shape for a big run of coal. The first of the fleet expect to leave this evening or to-morrow.

WM. B. ANDERSON, of Pittsburgh, has sold his one-eighth interest in the Mollie Moore, to the Mollie Moore Transportation Company for the sum of $5,000.

THE following towboats came in since our last: Tom Rees No. 2, My Choice, Tom Rees, Ben Wood, Jr., Reindeer, John Renny, Fair Play, Storm, Boaz and Acorn.

MESSRS. SPEER, of Belleverno, have contracted to remove the coal boat sunk in the channel between Smithfield and Wood street. They expect to begin operations to-day unless the river is too high.

THE favorite steamer West Virginia, Captain P. Donaldson, takes her departure this day, at 3 P. M., for Brownsville and Geneva. For further information call on Capt. S. R. Patterson, on the wharf boat.

THE St. Louis *Democrat* says Capt. Grant Marsh, of the steamer Nellie Peck, is the inventor of, and probably he has received by this time a patent for, a new style of steamboat wheel, which, we learn, is full of promise and will probably come into very general use. A model of the new wheel will be exhibited on 'Change shortly. It is suited for any description of steamboat.

HO! FOR THE MUSKINGUM RIVER.—The far famed packet Julia No. 2, Captain L. R. Stull, takes her departure this day at 4 P. M. for Marietta and Zanesville. This boat has unsurpassed accommodations and as clever a set of officers as can be found. The clerks are Messrs. Hahn and Pittman. What they don't know about the Muskingum river business is not worth finding out.

THE Memphis *Appeal* says: "The wreck of the J. P. Wall, or at least that portion with the buoy attached, yesterday was carried down about a hundred feet below the place where she sunk, and now lies just below the foot of Jefferson street, and is in a worse place than before, as it is in deeper water, and the wheel, although far below the surface of the water, is a dangerous thing, as it is standing for boats to strike against. The buoy is barely visible, and might easily be mistaken for a piece of drift."

THE valley of the Mississippi river extends through thirty degrees of longitude and twenty-three degrees of latitude. It drains an area of 2,455,350 miles. The Amazon river, in South America, drains 2,000,000 of square miles, the Nile 520,000 miles and the Volga 400,000. The Mississippi has a greater freightage capacity than all the waters of the world, and she transports freight at the rate of three mills per ton for each mile, while on railways the charge is thirty mills to the mile. Ocean vessels charge one and a half mills per ton per mile, and canals ten mills to the mile.

THE Civil Rights bill of Arkansas, passed some days ago, requires all public conveyances to make no distinction in the treatment or fare of guests and travelers, under penalty of from $200 to $1,000 fine, and imprisonment from three months to two years. The steamer Dardanelle left Little Rock Sunday afternoon, for Memphis, without cabin passengers, on account of two colored persons demanding a stateroom in the main cabin and positively refusing to go to the boat's texas, where this class of passengers are usually carried. The owners of the steamer take the position that their boat being private property, they have a right to close their cabins, and as public carriers can only be required to permit people to travel on deck. It is supposed the thing will quiet down and regulate itself ere long.

THE Shreveport *Times*, in noticing the sinking of the Glasgow says: "She struck the old wreck of the Monsoon, about eight miles above Montgomery, and appears to have been torn all to pieces. The Belle of Shreveport reached the scene some four hours after the disaster, and succeeded in saving 20 tons of the freight. The statement made by the captain of the Belle of Shreveport was that a party of men came on the wreck and attempted to prevent his taking the freight—asserting that they had an opportunity of robbing and they intended to make the most of it. This practice of robbing the wrecks of steamers on Red River has become a nuisance, and the law should be brought to bear. The Glasgow, from all we could learn from the officers of the Moore, will be a total loss.

AGENTS FOR THE NEW PACKET LINE.—The great new packet line, requiring agents at about sixty villages and towns on the river above St. Louis, decided yesterday upon the question of who should have the positions as to about three-fourths of the number. Premising that it is thought here that Mr. I. M. Mason will be appointed for this port, which is the best paid office in the list, St. Paul being next, the following are the appointees at a few of the main points: Jerry Yancey, Hannibal; W. K. Ewing, Quincy; S. M. Archer, Keokuk; N. J. Burk & Co., Burlington; M. Block, Muscatine; B. M. Prettyman, Davenport; John P. Farley, Dubuque; T. B. Wilson & Co., Reed's Landing; J. H. Reany, St. Paul. Messrs. T. J. Buford and P. S. Davidson were appointed assistant superintendents of the line.—*St. Louis Democrat.*

ST. LOUIS.—The *Republican* says: The *Republican* a short time since stated that the Natchez, not to be outdone by the Robert E. Lee, would make a trip or two to St. Louis. In confirmation of this statement, Capt. Andy Pauley, chief engineer and part owner of the Natchez, arrived in New Orleans a few days ago from Cuba, whither he had gone for his health, but came home without having it improved any. Ex-Alderman John Pauley, of this city, his brother, received a letter from him yesterday, which says the Natchez will make two trips to St. Louis as soon as the stage of water is good, for the purpose of beating the time of the Robert E. Lee. She will leave New Orleans on the same day as the Champion, so that lively times and big betting may be expected. The Lee has not yet signified her acceptance of running with the Natchez, but Capt. Cannon is not the man to stand back when the speed of his boat is called in question, and a chance to win more glory at hand.

ST. LOUIS.—The *Republican* says: "The contract for transporting freight for the government to the various military posts and Indian agencies on the Upper Missouri, has been awarded to Messrs. Evans, Dallas & Gilmore, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. This firm owns the steamers Far West, E. H. Durfee, Key West and Western. It is understood that the bid of Mr. Dallas, of the above named firm, which was accepted by the government, was very low, much under the figures proposed by the Northern Pacific Railroad. The affairs of the firm on the Missouri are under the immediate control of Captain S. B. Coulson, well known in steamboat circles as an experienced Upper Missouri steamboatman. Messrs. Durfee & Peck, of Leavenworth, who had the contract last year, will, in all probability, establish a line of steamers between St. Louis and Fort Benton, during the coming season, to accommodate the mercantile interests of this city, and of the Missouri valley. These gentlemen are owners of four fine steamboats, well calculated to navigate far Upper Missouri. The Mary McDonald, is a fine side-wheel packet, and the Nellie Peck, Sioux City and Silver Lake have all made successful trips to Fort Benton heretofore. It is a matter for congratulation among the steamboatmen that the government has awarded the contract to river men rather than to railroad, especially as the bid of the Northern Pacific was exceedingly low—but not low enough to compete with the water line.

Keokuk—Northern Line Packet Company's Boats, and Officers Appointed.

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Northwestern—Captain, T. L. Davidson; clerks, F. E. Snow, O. P. H. Cooley.

Alex Mitchell—Captain, John Stewart; clerks, J. Bauser, Nick Rhodes.

Belle of Lacrosse—Captain, Henry Carson; clerks, T. P. Perkins, Ed. Young.

Phil Sheridan—Captain, W. H. Laughton; clerks, D. Garin, Wm. Perkins.

Lake Superior—Captain, Jonas Worden; clerks, H. C. Tatum, George Dodge.

Red Wing—Captain, W. P. Hight; clerks, S. S. Grennell, George Lemon.

Minneapolis—Captain, J. J. Wood; clerks, C. C. Mather, Lee Wells.

Muscatine—Captain, M. Green; clerks, W. W. Wells, John Robinson.

Rock Island—Captain, A. Lamont; clerks, A. C. Jones, John Gormley.

Dubuque—Captain, T. B. Hill; clerks, C. Carroll, C. Gregg.

Minnesota—Captain, D. C. Smith; clerks, D. V. Dawley, John Smith.

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Rob Roy—Captain, M. Hall; clerks, L. Cubberly, Wm. Fricke.

Harry Johnson—Captain, S. E. Gray; clerks, Geo. Walton, T. Northrup.

LOUISIANA BOAT.

Bayard—Capt. So. Mackey; clerks, C. W. Mitchell, A. V. Hunter.

TOWBOATS.

Henderson—Captain S. J. Ball. Dan. Hine—Capt. R. Harris. G. H. Wilson—Capt. Geo. Duncan. Annie Johnson—Capt. ——. Victory—Capt. ——. Addie Johnson—Capt. ——. Jennie Baldwin—Capt. ——. Damsel—Capt. ——.

RESERVE STEAMERS.

Davenport, New Boston, Charlie Cheever, Lucy Bertram, Clinton.

IMPORTS BY RAIL AND RIVER.

Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railroad.

S Lindsay, jr, & Co, 100 bbls flour; Hostetter & S, 50 do spirits; Watt, Lang & Co, 15 cases tobacco; Dilworth [illegible]; [illegible] 1 car iron; J P Leetsinger, 1 car stone; [illegible]; Jas Graham, 1 car hay; [illegible] W Rankin & Bro, 20 bbls crackers; [illegible]; J Henderson & Bro, [illegible]; J Heburg, 1 car straw; [illegible]; H Biddle & Son, [illegible]; J Reno, 101 castings; L J Blanchard, 7 bbls apples; [illegible]; Reese, Owens & Co, [illegible]; [illegible] Reese, Graff & Co, lots iron; [illegible]; Spencer & McKay, 1 car barley; Marshall, K & Co, 4 cars wheat; Josh Rhodes & Co, 30 barley.

ALLEGHENY STATION.—Mellon Bros, 1 car shingles; [illegible].

Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad.

South Pitts F M Co, 1 car lumber; S & W H Martin, 1 do do; Slack & S, 10 do do; W F Richardson, 1 do do; Dunbar & Co, 10 do do; J L Brown, 1 do do; Marshall, K & Co, 2 do wheat; [illegible].

Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and St. Louis Railroad.

J Fuhrer, 10 bbls whisky, Maul & Grate, 4 hhds tobacco; [illegible].

Allegheny Valley Railroad.

L Barton, 3 cars hay; Chest Lake Ice Co, 4 do ice; [illegible].

West Penn Railroad.

Penn Salt Co, 46 carboys oil vitrol, 2 do m acid, 48 kegs soda, 2 bbls do, 15 do alum, [illegible]; J Watson, 60 empt kegs; J G Palmer, 16 empties; [illegible]; J Gallery, 25 sks potatoes; J C Lappe, 1 car bark; J Gallery, 25 oat do.

Receipts of Blooms, Pig Metal and Ore.

Following are the receipts of metal and ore for the past twenty four hours:

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, P R R CO. LESSEE.

	Cars.		Cars.
Nimick & Co., m	13	P D Nicols, m	1
Caughey & Hatman, m	8	Lewis, O & P, m	1
Wm Smith & Son, m	4	Moorhead & Co, o	3
Reese, G & Co, m	7	Cambria Iron Co, m	1
Lewis, B D & Co, m	5		
Total			44

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.

	Cars.		Cars.
Nimick & Co., m	2	Pittsburgh Bolt Co, o	1
McKnight, D & Co, o	3	Zug & Co, m	1
Graff, Bennett & Co, m	4	Isabella Furnace Co, o	16
Hussey, Wells & Co, o	3	Schoenberger, B & Co, o	5
Reese, Graff & Co, o	4		
Total			43

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

	Cars.		Cars.
Nimick & Co, m	3	J Reamer, m	2
J W Porter, m	3	Caughey & Hatman, m	2
J Moorhead, m	3		
Total			14

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS R. R.

	Cars.
Carnagie, K & Co, o	1

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

	Cars.		Cars.
Nimick & Co, m	2	McKnight, D & Co, m	1
Wm Smith & Son, m	2	McKnight, D & Co, o	1

Coal Received by A. V R. R.

	Cars.		Cars.
A. V. R. R.	5	N Y & C G Coal Co	10
Armstrong D & Co	40		
Total			58

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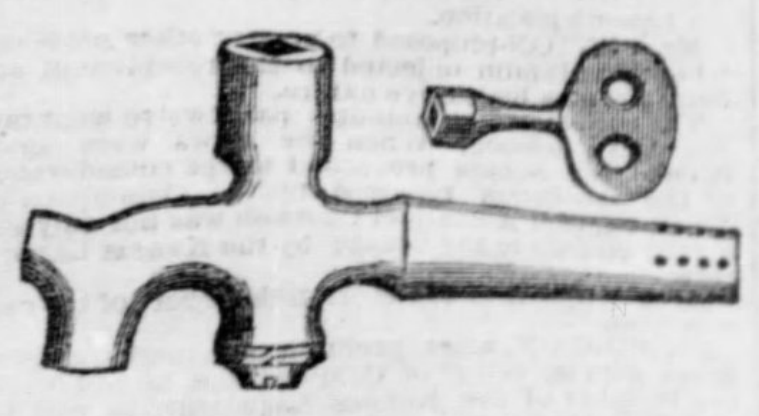

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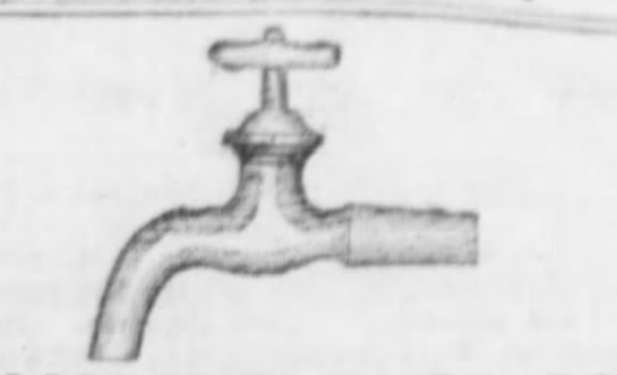

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MADRID, March 10.—Senor Pi Y. Margall, Minister of the Interior, presides over the Ministerial Council in the absence of Senor Figueras. The Radical deputies from Andalusia have called a meeting of all the Andalusian deputies to the Assembly to consider the proposition for setting up a federal state government in Andalusia, based on free trade and free ports. The Federalists are organizing a revolutionary central committee in Madrid. The irreconcilables have made attempts to seduce the troops of the garrison from their loyalty to the government, but without success.

Carlists Cutting Railways and Burning Stations.

PARIS, March 10.—A dispatch from Bayonne says the Carlists in the Spanish province of Garpuzcoa have cut the railroad and burned several stations between San Sebastian and Irun. Travel between these towns is entirely suspended. Bands of insurgents are threatening Irun, and it is feared the town will fall into their hands.

Bismarck on the Catholic Clergy.

BERLIN, March 10.—Prince Bismarck made a powerful speech to-day in the Upper House of the Prussian Diet, in support of the bill limiting the powers of the Roman Catholic clergy.

Queen Paulina, mother of the King of Wirtemburg, died to-day, aged seventy-three.

Marine News.

LONDON, March 10.—The steamships Abyssinia, Cambria and Wyoming have arrived out.

European Markets.

LONDON, March 10, 5 P. M.—Consols for money 92⅜ and for account 92⅜. American securities—5-20s of '65, 93¾; do of '67, 93⅞; 10-40s, 89⅜; new 5s, 90⅜; Erie Railway 51⅛. Tallow 44s 9d. Refined petroleum 17d.

PARIS, March [illegible]—Rentes 57 francs 15 centimes.

LIVERPOOL, March [illegible]—Cotton heavy; middling upland 9⅜d; Orleans 9⅝d; sales 10,000 bales; American, 7,000 bales; speculation and export, 1,000 bales; March and April delivery at Savannah or Charleston 9 5-16d. Breadstuffs quiet; red winter wheat 12s 2d. Flour 28s 6d@29s. Corn 27s@27s 3d. Cheese 72s. Cumberland middles 36s@36s 3d; short rib do 37s 6d. Turpentine 46s.

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FIRE AND STORM.

Odbert's Oil Refinery, at Parkersburg, Takes Fire—Loss About $6,000—Greater Damage Prevented by a Wind Storm.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., March 10, 1873.

Odbert's oil refinery, on the outskirts of the town, caught fire on Sunday evening and for a time threatened to be very destructive. Some of the men filling a tank with oil allowed it to run over. The oil, as soon as it reached the furnace, took fire and rapidly spread over the yard, enveloping it in flames. A still bursted, letting more flaming oil loose, which soon covered the Kanawha river, endangering all the boats, refineries, factories, &c., along its banks. Fortunately at this time a very fierce gale was blowing up the river, which kept the flames and the water back. A momentary lull in the wind let the burning oil and flame down the river until it nearly reached Camden's immense oil yard and barrel factory, but springing up again more fiercely than before, it drove the fire back so that it exhausted itself. Odbert's loss in stills, tanks, oil, &c., is about six thousand dollars; fully covered by insurance.

The storm did considerable damage in the town and vicinity, prostrating fences, signboards, telegraph lines, &c., but it is an ill wind that blows no one good.

CRIMES.

Daring Bank Robbery in Louisville—No Clue to the Perpetrators.

LOUISVILLE, March 10.—This morning the clerks of the Falls City Tobacco bank, corner of Seventh and Main streets, found it impossible to unlock the safe and it was supposed the lock was out of order. A man was sent for to open it. The doors were forced about four o'clock this afternoon, when it was discovered that the burglars had entered the top of the vault from a room on the second story, cutting a hole in the floor and through the arch over the vault and an inch of chilled iron casting, then with drills and powder bursted open the door. The safe was made by Diebold, Bahman & Co., Cincinnati. The safe was the cashier's and had only special deposits and collaterals in it. The collateral and deposits mainly consisted of local bonds which were left behind, but the following special deposits are known to be missing: One bag containing $2,000 gold; ten ten forty government bonds, one thousand each; two five twenty government bonds, five hundred each. The teller's safe by the side of the cashier's, and containing the bank funds, was undisturbed. The bank loses nothing. It is supposed the burglars accomplished their work yesterday and last night, as the room over the vault was occupied for several years as the office of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company, of New York. The burglars had lifted the matting in the room, cut through the floor, and after accomplishing their work replaced the planks and matting so that the floor looked as if undisturbed. A full set of burglar's tools were left by the daring operators, including an iron and copper sledge hammer, drills, fuse, &c. It is impossible yet to ascertain how much was lost by the burglary; but it is not believed to be much more than above mentioned bonds and gold. No clue to the perpetrators of the robbery. One thousand dollars reward is offered for their capture, and information of the affair has been telegraphed to the principal cities reached from here by rail.

THERE has been considerable controversy, even among horsemen, concerning horse clipping; those who contend that it is cruel to deprive the animal of the covering given him by nature being met by those who insist that the animals show much better feeling after they are clipped, and that after driving they can be more easily and thoroughly cared for. It was left, however, for Judge Balcolm, of the Supreme Court of New York, to declare horse clipping an indictable offense. This he did in his recent charge to the Grand Jury, and added that persons who were in doubt as to its cruelty could determine it by dressing themselves in linen clothes and straw hats and going out to ride on cold winter days.

NEWS SUMMARY.

BY TELEGRAPH.

The steam tannery belonging to Armstrong & Story, at Chillicothe, Ohio, was destroyed by fire Saturday night—the work of an incendiary. Loss $27,000; insured for $11,800.

Three men and a boy were killed by a boiler explosion at Obocock, Ontario, Saturday.

The heaviest snow storm of the season occurred at Concord, Maine, Monday morning. Snow fell to the depth of six inches.

John E. Houston, general freight agent of the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad, died at Erie yesterday, of acute rheumatism.

The counterfeiters arrested at Philadelphia on Saturday had a hearing yesterday, and were committed to answer—Reinhardt in default of bail in $8,000, and Abrahams and Weisner in default of $7,000 each. Andrew Moulton waived a hearing, and was also required to give bail.

At Baltimore, yesterday, in the Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, the committee in the case of Rev. J. C. Clarke, of White Sulpher Springs, W. Va., reported the charge of immorality sustained, and Clarke was expelled from the Church. The committee in the case of Dr. Austin are taking testimony.

It is denied that George William Curtis is dangerously ill. He is confined to his room, the result of overwork, but will be out in a few days, when he will probably take a respite from all labor for some months to come.

Rumor says that Commodore Vanderbilt intends to convert the Harlem Road into a freight adjunct to the Hudson River Road, instead of doubling the track of the latter.

The steamships Adriatic and Corinthian, from Liverpool, arrived at New York yesterday.

Ellen Fitzgibbon, aged sixty-four years, and Joe Ryan, aged sixty-seven, were run over yesterday at Nashville by the truck of a hook and ladder company and very seriously wounded. The truck was on its way to a fire and was running rapidly. The fire involved a loss of $1,500.

The Evangelical Ministerial Association of Cincinnati yesterday adopted the initial steps of an attempt to form a union of the Evangelical denominations. A plan presented by Rev. Dr. Jeffray, Baptist church, was adopted. It arranges for a meeting of the people of all denominations at some future day to confer as to the method for such union.

Sunday night at seven o'clock, at Stephenson's store, Powell county, Kentucky, in a quarrel Ned. Bryant drew a pistol and shot John Christy through the head, killing him instantly. He then mounted his horse, galloped away and has not been heard from. The parties had been drinking together.

The Indiana Legislature on Monday adjourned *sine die.*

W. R. Talbot, a prominent business man and an old citizen of Indianapolis, died in that city yesterday.

The ice was going out of the Missouri river at Omaha yesterday, with but little rise of water. About one thousand feet of the wagon road bridge across Louis Ford, at Columbus, Nebraska, was carried away by the ice yesterday morning.

The body of a man who threw himself under a freight train, near Salisbury, Md., Saturday evening has been identified as that of Geo. W. Hall, the murderer of Miss Snockley.

A heavy snow storm with high wind commenced yesterday morning at Augusta, Maine, and continued through the day. Six inches of snow fell. Trains are delayed.

At a meeting of the Wholesale Grocers' Association, of Philadelphia, yesterday, the Committee on Transportation was directed to inquire into the reason why the rates of transportation between Philadelphia and Chicago are higher than between Boston and Chicago.

James M. Hawkins, arrested at Columbus some days ago, charged with bigamy, was confronted by his two wives in the Police Court yesterday and confessed his guilt. He was bound over to court in the sum of $1,000.

The St. Louis County Liberal Republican County Convention met yesterday evening and after considerable discussion resolved to make no nominations for city officers in the election next month, but will support such candidates as best represent their views and principals.

The report of the surrender of the Modoc Indians is confirmed, and belief is expressed that the peace will be permanent.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, March 10.—Cattle—Receipts 2,668 head; market fairly active and prices firm for shipping grades, good to choice native steers are selling freely at $5@6 25; for good to choice corn fed Texans $4 50@4 75; a lot of five head fancy 2,094 lbs steers brought $7 25; cows sold at $3 25@4 50; shipments 1,986 head. Hogs—Receipts 7,543 head; a fair shipping demand and prices firm for good hogs, dull for common grades to medium; good sold at $4 50@5 50; choice $5 75@5 90; common to fair $4 25@4 40; shipments 9,464 head.

New Orleans Market.

NEW ORLEANS, March 10.—Flour dull; treble extra $6 50; family $9 50@11 00. Corn lower at 73@77. Oats 48c. Bran $1 05@1 07½. Hay—Prime $27 00; choice $30 00. Pork higher at $16 87½. Dry salt meats [illegible]. Bacon [illegible]. Hams 13@13½c. Lard dull; tierce 8½@8¾c; keg 9@9½c. Sugar in good demand; fair 8½c; fully fair 9⅛c. Molasses unchanged. Whisky good at 90@95c. Coffee unchanged.

Milwaukee Market.

MILWAUKEE, March 10.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat dull and unsettled; No 1 Milwaukee $1 20¼; No 2 do $1 22⅞. Oats—Demand fair and market firm; No 2, 28¾c. Rye steady, dull and declined; No 1, 67c. Corn quiet and unchanged; No 2 mixed 30c. Barley steady with a moderate demand; No 2, 74c.

XLIII CONGRESS.

Extra Session of the Senate.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 10, 1873.

The Committee on Elections were directed to examine and report at the next session the best and most practicable method of electing the President and Vice President of the United States, together with a plan for the organization of a tribunal to determine all contested questions connected therewith. The committee have leave to sit during the recess of the Senate.

Mr. MORRILL, of Maine, offered a resolution that the witnesses summoned to attend the investigations by the Senate be paid four dollars per day while in attendance, and five cents per mile each way of the distance actually traveled, which was laid over.

Mr. CHANDLER presented petitions for prohibitory liquor legislation.

Mr. FENTON proposed to present other petitions, when Mr. Hamlin objected to the reception of any petitions of a legislative nature.

The Senate at ten minutes past twelve went into Executive session. When the doors were again opened, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the resolution reported by the Committee on Elections, that Alexander Caldwell was not duly and legally elected to the Senate by the Kansas Legislature.

At the request of Mr. Morton the report of the case was read.

Mr. MORTON, after preliminay remarks, alluded to the general denial of Caldwell that he had bribed any member of the Kansas Legislature to vote for him, and then proceeded to argue that the charge that Caldwell was elected by the use of money was sustained by the testimony. He quoted parliamentary law to show that bribery is not only an infringement of a parliamentary privilege, but when a single elector is prevented from exercising his right by external violence the election is void, without reference to the number of votes. This is indispensable to the freedom of elections. The man who would purchase one vote would purchase all, and his corrupt influence would be limited only by his means of corruption. The Senate had a right to protect itself against a criminal, altough the Legislature electing him might be indifferent on the subject. The power to expel a member was necessary to enable the House to perform its high functions, and was incidental to the protection of the State.

In further argument, Mr. MORTON said that this was the most flagrant case of bribery in English or American politics, and then examined the testimony in the case to show that such was the fact, and that just before Caldwell's election, talk of corruption was as common and free in Topeka as of the markets or the weather.

Mr. CALDWELL said he had prepared a statement which, his voice being effected by a cold, he desired should be read at the Secretary's desk. The Secretary then read the statement, which was in the nature of a legal argument. There was no pretense that his credentials did not speak the truth. It was an absolute fact that the majority of the Kansas Legislature did vote for him; while there was no proof that there was any restraint in the premises. The election of a Senator is the act of a State in its sovereign capacity, with which the Senate cannot interfere. Numerous precedents were quoted in support of this proposition. The Constitution makes the Senate the sole judge of the qualifications and returns of its own members, but it must be governed by the written law. Caldwell insists that the Senate must be governed by the law as it existed at the time of election.

Before the reading was completed, on motion of Mr. CAMERON, the Senate went into Executive session, and soon afterwards adjourned.

ADDITIONAL STATE NEWS.

The Selinsgrove *Tribune* says: A man named John S. Ellsworth died in Middleburg on Monday last. The deceased had been in Middleburg for nearly a year. He was a sign painter and a printer. He is said to have been a man of ordinary attainments and a splendid penman. He was engaged in printing a book styled "The Prospects of the End," which he had almost completed. He was buried by the Overseers of the Poor. He had in his possession a twenty dollar gold piece, a watch, two revolvers, and other articles. He was a strange man; he had no wardrobe worth mentioning; his pantaloons were manufactured of gingham and his coat of blue drilling. He wore no undergarments save a front, which was so arranged as to conceal his breast. He hailed from Connecticut, and was aged about seventy-eight years.

Mr. W. A. Showalter, of Latrobe, captured two fine foxes, a red and a black one, a few days since.

The Greensburg *Argus* complains that a band of youthful thieves in that place are committing depredations daily on stables and chicken coops.

The Methodist Episcopal parsonage at Castle Finn, York county, was burned to the ground Friday morning. No insurance.

The Venango *Spectator* has the following: Gillian Beighley and Susan Kerker were married in Butler county on Friday last. After they had retired to their room the boys gathered to give them the usual serenade. The bride requested them not to make a noise, as the groom was sick, and they went away without music. The next morning the bride was found sitting by the fire and the groom was lying in bed, dead and cold. They were about sixty years old.

The Scranton *Republican* says: Mr. George Keach, the engineer who ran over Edward Fleming a short time ago, in the yard of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, was arrested at the instance of the St. Paul De Vincent Society and taken before Alderman Watres, who bound him over for his appearance at Court in the sum of $1,000. This society, which has and is still doing so much good for the poor and unfortunate, claim that the engineers become reckless and have not a proper regard for human life. That is, they do not take the necessary precaution to guard against accidents to those men who are employed by the company. They intend to make this a test case, and if they succeed in sustaining the charges it will have a tendency to make engineers more careful in the future. We understand this society is paying for the keeping of Fleming at the City Hospital. He has both legs off.

CITY MATTERS.

Commission Store Robbed.

The commission store of H. J. McCracken & Bro. was robbed shortly before noon, yesterday, of about five hundred dollars in notes and currency. A young man, who entered the store while Mr. McCracken was attending to a customer, is supposed to have committed the robbery. When Mr. McC. returned he found some currency on the floor, and noticed that the young man who had entered was missing. On examining the drawer he discovered the loss. The police were promptly notified, but there is no clue to the thief.

ANTI-CONSOLIDATION.

Special Meeting of Allegheny Councils—An Official Committee Appointed to Visit Harrisburg.

A special meeting of Allegheny Councils was held last evening, for the purpose of appointing a committee to visit Harrisburg to use their influence to defeat consolidation. A number of members were of the opinion that if an official committee (a committee appointed by Councils) was appointed, in addition to the committee appointed at the citizens' meeting held on Saturday night, it would have great weight in the Legislature, and hence a special meeting was called. Both branches of Councils met at seven o'clock, and were called to order by their respective Presidents.

In the Common Branch Mr. Hastings offered the following:

Resolved, That the Presidents of Councils be and they are hereby instructed to appoint a committee of twenty to proceed to Harrisburg and use their influence to defeat the consolidation of Allegheny with the city of Pittsburgh, the Presidents of Councils and the Mayor to be added to the committee.

The resolution was adopted unanimously.

In the Select Branch a motion was made to concur in the action of Common Council. The motion prevailed with only one dissenting voice, John Megraw voting in the negative.

Councils then adjourned.

The Presidents of Councils then appointed the following named gentlemen as members of the committee: Messrs. John Huckenstein, W. H. Price, George Beilstein, James Stedeford, Wm. Stuart, Samuel Hastings, Thomas Brown, W. H. Graham, N. H. Voeghtley, Joseph Lautner, Wm. Wettach, George Riddle, Arthur Hobson, H. H. Reel, Jacob Franz, R. B. Francis, John Ogden, J. A. Shoies, W. D. Moore. The first thirteen names are Councilmen, and the last seven are citizens. According to the resolution the Presidents of Councils and the Mayor are also members of the committee.

ON TO HARRISBURG.

Last evening about fifty members of the General Committee appointed at the meeting of citizens held on Saturday evening last, started for Harrisburg. All the members of the committee appointed last evening by Councils, also started off, with one or two exceptions. About one hundred more will leave this evening and a large number to-morrow evening.

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

Pittsburgh Opera House.

There was a goodly number in attendance at the Opera House, last evening, to greet Mr. Thomas Grattan Riggs, the comedian and charactor actor. "Shin Fane, or Shamrock Green," is about as good as any of the Irish dramas rendered popular by Messrs. Florence and Williams. It has some strong points, and some weak ones, the former predominating; and it gives Mr. Riggs an opportunity to display his natural gifts as an actor to the best advantage, and he does it. In the play he sustains five different *roles*—"Suil Gair," an Irish peasant; "Con," a simpleton, with a fund of native wit; "Tinkering Tim," a sport; "Mrs. Hanbury," a New York boarding-house keeper; and "Mr. Maguire," a ready-made citizen. All of these characters were well conceived and well sustained throughout. "The rich Irish brogue" was born with Mr. Riggs, and he has it in perfection. The piece was strongly cast, Messrs. Huntley, Collings, Day, Compton and others of the company doing well, as did also Misses Ciner, Rickords, Brong and the ladies generally. The mounting of the piece was very fine, and it passed off extremely well for a first night. "Shin Fane" will be repeated to-night.

Aims's American Theater.

This theater was well filled last evening, few chairs being vacant. The most prominent features of the performance were the graceful evolutions of Mlle. Boshell on the floating wire; the daring trapeze acts of the Leopolds; Castelotti's wonderful performance on the swinging ladder; Cerito's rapid changes of costume and elegant dancing; Charley Gleason's banjo solo, etc., etc. An excellent bill to-night.

Trimble's Varieties.

The comic pantomime of "Tit for Tat," as rendered by the Lauri troupe, was received with much favor by the large crowd present last night. Pete Lee, the Ethiopian comedian, appeared in a number of side-splitting specialties, and the female minstrels gave new songs and jokes. There will be a grand matinee to-morrow afternoon.

Prof. Guenther's Concert.

On Thursday evening next, at Library Hall, the pupils of Prof. William Guenther, assisted by Mrs. L. Loheide, Carl Retter, and the Singing Club of the Frohsinn Society, will give a vocal and instrumental concert. The programme and the list of performers are such as to warrant the prediction that the affair will be highly enjoyable. Tickets are for sale and seats may be reserved at Kleber & Bro.'s music store, No. 122 Wood street.

Library Hall, Friday Evening.

Mr. Benno Walter, the eminent German violinist, is announced for a concert at Library Hall on Friday evening next, assisted by quite a number of our best amateurs. Mr. Walter has thoroughly mastered the violin, and as an executant is equal to many whose praises are heralded throughout the land. In the selections to be rendered at this concert are judiciously blended the best classic and "popular" styles of music, so that all tastes may be suited. Seats may be reserved at Kleber's, on Wood street.

Minstrelsy at Library Hall.

The people who control Library Hall have done wisely in throwing it open to first-class entertainments of all kinds. It is one of the most attractive places in the city, and will no doubt bring hither troupes of this kind that would not otherwise come. On Monday evening next Carncross & Dixey's minstrels will begin an engagement of a week at this hall under the management of Mr. V. E. Beamer. This organization have always enjoyed the patronage of a large portion of our best citizens, and now that they are to appear in the Library Building others will go to hear them. Their entertainments are such as all can enjoy, being free from all taint of vulgarity. As at present organized the company is capable of giving a better performance than ever before. A succession of crowded houses is predicted. Seats may be reserved, for any or all the nights of their stay, at Kleber & Bro.'s, 122 Wood street, on and after Wednesday morning at nine o'clock.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

U. S. District Court—Judge McCandless.

In the bankruptcy matter of Alternoit & Houghton, of Luzerne county, the assignee was ordered to sell certain personal property of the value of $1,153.

In the case of Hall Cook vs. Cook, Davis & Leech, of Erie county, bankrupts, Judge McCandless delivered an opinion on the rule to show cause why certain moneys accruing from a Sheriff's sale should not be paid into Court. The Court held that the conflict of proofs is such as to prompt the Court to direct the assignee to bring suit for the money realized at the Sheriff's sale, that the facts may be found by a jury.

Rogers, Wallace & Co., coal dealers, of this city, filed a petition for the adjudication of themselves in bankruptcy. Referred to Register Harper.

District Court—Judges Kirkpatrick and Hampton.

The case of John Huckenstein vs. George B. Boland, being a *scire facias* on a mechanic's lien and previously reported is still on trial before Judge Kirkpatrick.

The first case taken up before Judge Hampton was that of James Neeley vs. Isaac Richey; suit for slander. The plaintiff alleges that the defendant in the case made use of certain false, malicious and scandalous words regarding him and calculated to injure his reputation. The defendant charged the plaintiff with the larceny of rails owned by him. Three thousand dollars was the sum claimed for damages. The jury rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff in the sum of $150.

The next case called was that of Barbara Alles vs. George Schoeff. Action on a book account. On trial.

TRIAL LIST FOR TO DAY.

197. (O. L.) J. H. Hays vs. T. W. Briggs.
27. Wensel vs. Steam Brick Co.
28. Same vs. Same.
37. Work vs. Wilcon.
48. P. Wensel vs. Steam Brick Co.
49. Loeffer vs. Woods Run Savings Bank.
52. B. Emery vs. R. Watson.
56. Domenec McCugh vs. Thomas Murdock, et al.
57. F. H. Eaton vs. Matthew Early.

Common Pleas—Judges Stowe and Collier.

In the case of Thomas Biggs vs. Edward Cinner, action in trespass, previously reported, the jury returned a verdict for $25 57 for plaintiff.

The next case taken up was the one of Louise Vorhans vs. Samuel Bing; action on a book account. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $344 39.

The case of Michael O'Hara, for use, vs the Bank of Industry, was next taken up. This is an action to recover subscriptions alleged to have been paid to the bank by plaintiff while laboring under a misapprehension as to the nature of the institution. Jury out.

J. D. Tauline vs. John P. Wacker and Maria Faas, administrators of Faas, deceased. Action to recover on a debt. On trial.

H. W. Williams vs. R. W. Leonard. Action to recover balance due on settlement. On trial.

TRIAL LIST FOR TO-DAY.

120. Leezer & Co. vs. McDonald.
123. Winter vs. Epping.
130. Westbay vs. Alter.
131. O'Brien vs. Shaffer.
132. Hope vs. Holthouse.
138. Wohrle vs. Hake.
159. McClurg vs. Lacock et al.
89. Ross vs. The P. V. and C. R. R. Co.
142. Francis Hogel & Bro vs. Goldbaugh.
144. The People's Turnpike Company vs. Flocker.
149. Malone vs. McGinness.
150. Hannahan vs. Moore.
151. Saits vs. Lanahan.
152. Ritz et al. vs. Stauffer et al.
153. Wilson et al. vs Kauf.

Criminal Court—Judge Sterrett.

The first case called was that of the Commonwealth vs. Joseph Reynolds, charged with false pretense.

It was alleged that by falsely representing himself to be the owner of a horse, he sold it to John Whiter for forty dollars. On motion of the District Attorney a *nolle prosequi* was allowed on payment of costs by defendant.

James Nicholson, charged with the larceny of sundry shawls, etc., the property of Daniel H. Fralich, plead guilty to the charge and was remanded for sentence.

Cass Little was charged on oath of William Hill with having entered the stable of the latter and taken a horse without his consent, and after having been forbidden to do so by Hill. On motion of the Assistant District Attorney, the information was quashed for the reason that it set forth no criminal offense.

Louis Bergsbreser and John Black were acquitted on the charge of larceny of thirty-five pounds of feathers, valued at seventy-five cents per pound. The same parties plead guilty to the larceny of three bags of leather, the property of Mercer & Robinson, of Allegheny city.

Philip B. Weil, indicted for selling liquor on Sunday, on oath of George R. Fisher, entered a plea of *nolo contendre.*

Matthew Fahey was charged with assault and battery, in violently and with the use of threats compelling John Ryan to accompany him to the Central Police Station. A *nolle prosequi* was allowed by the Court and afterwards revoked, it appearing to the Court that the allowance had been made by mistake. The defendant then withdrew his plea of guilty and entered a plea of *nolo contendre.*

The next case called was that of the Commonwealth vs. Julia Comer, charged with assault and battery. Jury out.

James Mulvey was convicted of a charge of bigamy.

TRIAL LIST FOR TO-DAY.

Commonwealth Against

R. J. Wray,	Wm. Seaser,
John H. Connovan,	Catherine Jordon,
Henry Moon,	Thos. Robinson,
Nathan Harvey,	Payton Johnson,
R. J. Crawford,	Thomas O'Donnell,
E. J. Truxall,	Jas. Boethein,
Frank Wolff,	Robert Guiniff,
Antonio Castello,	Patrick Quinn,
Jacob Huber et al.,	Thomas Sweeney,
Henry Butler,	John Brend,
Stockdale Smith.	

THE NEW CITY CHARTER,

List of Petitioners who Join in Asking the Legislature to Pass the Same.

The report of the Executive Committee on New Charter, setting forth its advantages, and memorializing the Legislature for its passage, has been supplemented by the following signatures of well known citizens, who say:

"We concur in the above report of the Executive Committee, and join in asking the Legislature to pass the bill:"

ALLEGHENY CITY.—Geo. W. Murphy, S. B. Thompson, J. C. Davitt, Jr., A. H. Brown, S. C. Frauerman, Joseph F. D. Keating, Lacock, Haworth & Co., C. J. Towar, E. P. Young, W. H. Durbin, Longden & McGratty, A. Hartung, S. T. McClelland, L. McIntosh, J. T. McIntosh, Thos. Telford, W. J. Scott, M. W. Acheson, Geo. Shiras, Jr., A. H. Childs, Frazier Brothers, M. B. Suydam, Joseph Albree, Wm. Vankirk, J. C. Porter, John A. Caughey, Edward Abel, Samuel Gallinger, Thos. A Spence, S. B. Fondersmith, Wm. Jenkinson, T. P. Kramer, J. M. Snowden, H. Woodhouse, W. H. Brill, J. Schoonmaker, J. Mitchell, A. J. H. Karchier, Jr., Barbour & Peet, Wm. Hubbard, Robert Hays, C. Reiter, J. J. Benitz, R. T. Wisler, J. R. Christy, Stephen Mercer, S. A. Neale, John W. Zeigler, S. P. Armstrong, Alex. Thompson, Thos. J. Burchfield, Rodman Wister, George G. McMurtry, H. S. Fleming, Robert McCain, William H. Forsyth, Wm. H. Barnes, Joseph Horne, J. P. Henderson, P. Reymer, J. S. Reymer, B. Bakewell, Wm. S. Bissell, Thomas Palmer, C. P. Caughey, Beggs & Lindsay, T. H. B. Patterson, W. L. Chalfant, John M. Acheson, John Young, John Megraw, Welty Bros., W. A. Collins, James A. McCaffrey, James H. Thaw, Wm. Noffsinger, James Shipman, George W. Stevenson & Co., W. P. Smith & Co., Henry Wheeler, William H. Ayres, Tate & Alston, F. Andriessen, W. H. Parke, Walter Morris, Frank R. Layng, Kramer & Bro., Simon Drum, R. B. Mowry, John S. Hall, C. Burgher, W. H. Byram, Felix R. Brunot, Geo. S. Head, John Hays, N. B. Hogg, James O'Hara, David Bly, W. A. Leggat, David McCandless, Jona. Gallagher, B. F. Jones, A. E. W. Painter, John W. Chalfant, Alex. Nimick, John S. Slagle, W. H. Singer, Park Painter, James McCutcheon, Alex. M. Byers, H. Holdship, Saml. Palmer.

PITTSBURGH.—Beverly Jones, Wm. M. Lyon, Wm. Philips, John McD. Crossan, G. E. North, Thos. B. Atterbury, J. S. Atterbury, James Saulsbury, John P. Heisel, David Berg, D. Wenke, E. G. Krehan, Wm. Doyle, James Kerr, S. A. Powell, J. H. White.

NORTH END.—Thos. M. Marshall.

MCCLURE TOWNSHIP.—W. J. Langfitt, Charles Hartman, James L. Bennett, and five hundred others, residents of Allegheny, and the districts north of the river.

THE HITCHCOCK GUN.

How it is to be Built—Pittsburgh's Part in the Monster.

The Springfield (Mass.) *Republican* of the 7th inst. gives the following interesting information regarding the Hitchcock gun, for which our own furnaces will furnish the material:

In the fabrication of the large Hitchcock cannon, about to be manufactured at the water-shops, it is necessary that the iron should be heated in a reverberatory furnace, to avoid its contact with sulphur and other impurities of coal. The gun is to be formed of rings of wrought iron or low steel, made without welds, the rings so formed as to be united first in the center, that the superfluous cinder may be squeezed out. The anvil which is to receive the blow of the steam hammer is to be seated on the piston of a hydrostatic press, so as to be lowered as each successive ring is added to the gun, during the process of forging. The furnace is to be situated between the anvil and steam hammer, and so arranged that the rings project into it from below, and the hammer drops into it from above. The ring to form the muzzle of the gun is laid upon the movable anvil and is projected sufficiently into the furnace to allow the flame to raise it to a welding heat. Meanwhile, in another part of the furnace, the rings are heated to welding pitch at the same time by proportioning the heat, by means of dampers, to the relative bulk of the two parts. Without removing the parts from an atmosphere in which there is very little, if any oxygen, they are laid together and instantly welded by a few strokes of the steam hammer. The anvil is then lowered the thickness of the ring just welded on, and the same process repeated until the entire gun is forged. One advantage Mr. Hitchcock has in his plan over all others is that he never over or underheats the metal; the temperature being regulated in either furnace by the turn of the hand, so that an even temperature may be maintained for hours if necessary, thus avoiding oxidizing, as the welding surfaces are not exposed to the atmosphere. The plungers or ram is to be made of cast iron, 18 inches in diameter when turned, and fourteen feet long, with the head fitted to receive the anvil block. This plunger will weigh five tons. The anvil block proper will consist of a solid casting, weighing eight tons. Over the top of the anvil block will be placed several loose blocks, which will weigh 8,000 pounds. The rings with which the gun is to be built up are to be made at Pittsburgh, Pa., and shipped to this city.

Meeting of Coal Miners.

The coal miners of this and adjoining counties held a convention yesterday in Stehle's Hall on Fifth near Wylie avenue.

The convention was organized at ten o'clock by calling John A. Bevin to the chair and electing Mr. Henry Olett secretary. The chairman stated the object of the meeting, after which the roll was called, when it was found that about sixty pits were represented.

A Committee was appointed to prepare business for the meeting. The committee reported the following business: Report of the Committee on the Miners' Protection bill; to take some action on Coal Miner's Wages, on the River and in the County; a better organization of the Miners in general; to organize a Miners' Political League; to support a Labor Organ, and the consideration of a resolution to hold a Grand Mass Convention of the Coal Miners of Western Pennsylvania in the city of Pittsburgh in May next.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

In the afternoon a resolution was adopted that the sense of the meeting be that if the protection bill passed the Legislature the miners will consent to a reduction in their wages probably to four cents a bushel, but if it does not pass they will insist on five cents.

Mr. Street, from the committee appointed to secure the passage of the protection bill, reported that it had passed the House, and would likely pass the Senate.

The report was received and the committee continued. The Chairman, Mr. Bevin, was added to the committee.

The next question taken up was the propriety of establishing a regular miners' organization. After considerable discussion it was decided to effect such an organization.

On motion the Executive Committee composed of four members, and three additional members from the meeting were appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws for the government of the organization. The names of the committee are as follows: Messrs. Geo. Archibald, Wm. J. Reid, M. S. Boyle, John H. Hodder, Wm. Street, W. Wagner and August Steiner.

The question of forming a Miners' Political League was next discussed at length, after which the matter was laid over until next meeting.

The Convention then adjourned.

The First Ward Election Case.

The committee of Councils on the First ward election case, failed to meet last evening, owing to the session of the Select Branch. A meeting will be held next Monday evening, when, it is hoped, the conclusion of the investigation may be reached. As will be noticed in the report of Common Council, the committee has reported a conclusion as to the member in that body. It decides that Mr. Milligan, sitting member, was regularly elected, and this report was approved by the branch named.

PITTSBURGH COUNCILS.

AN EXCITING SESSION.

The New City Charter Amended and Approved in the Select Branch—Important Street and Sewer Improvements—The Weighing of Coal—The Monongahela Bridge—First Ward Contested Election—Division of Wards Into Election Precincts.

A regular meeting of City Councils was held yesterday afternoon.

SELECT COUNCIL.

In the absence of President Gross, on motion of Mr. J. H. Jones, Mr. Littell was called to preside.

Mr. Gross having arrived during the reading of the minutes, took the chair.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS, ETC.

Mr. Morrow—Petition for, and resolution, providing for grade of Robinson street. Referred to Street Committee.

Also, resolution for committee of five to confer with the Board of Health in reference to purchasing site for city infirmary. Passed.

Mr. Jeremy—Remonstrance against sewer on Wylie avenue. Referred to Street Committee.

Mr. Froelich—Petition for sewer on Fourteenth street. Same reference.

Mr. Burgwin—Resolution relative to change of grade on Twenty-fifth street, Twenty-fifth ward. Referred.

Mr. Liddell, remonstrance against construction of sewer on Pennsylvania avenue. Received.

Resolution for establishment of grade on Atwell street. Referred to Street Committee.

Mr. Burgwin, a resolution for committee to purchase a lot for city purposes in Twenty-third ward. Laid over under objection.

Also, resolution instructing Committee on Parks to report. Passed.

Also, resolution asking that the Legislature stop the passage of a bill vacating Coral street until the bill be approved by Councils. Passed.

Mr. Bergwin moved that the question of vacating Coral street be referred to the Survey Committee. Passed.

Mr. Atkinson, petition for the opening, grading and paving of Twenty-seventh street, South side. Referred to Survey Committee.

Mr. McCarthy, petition for abatement of water rents of Jacob Tomer.

Also, petition for weigh scales in the Thirty-sixth ward. Referred to Finance Committee.

Also, resolution authorizing the refitting and furnishing of old City Hall. Referred to the Market Committee to make an estimate.

Mr. Zern, report of Allegheny Wharf Committee for February, showing the expenditures $158 33, and the receipts $332 25. Received and filed.

Old business from Common Council was next disposed of.

Mr. J. W. Jones, report of Road Committee for February, showing expenditures to have been $1,826 56. Received and filed.

A resolution passed in C. C. providing that members be furnished with stationery was non-concurred in.

An ordinance for the macadamizing of Union street, passed in C. C., was non-concurred in.

A resolution authorizing the purchase of a Purdon's Digest for the use of the Clerk and committees was adopted.

The Council then took up the report of the Legislative Committee, covering the draft of "a further supplement to an act entitled an act concerning streets and sewers in the city of Pittsburgh." The substance of the proposed act has already been printed.

THE CITY CHARTER.

Mr. Pearson then presented the report of the Special Committee on City Charter, which has already been published. The committee unanimously report in favor of the adoption of the proposed charter. The report was accepted, and on motion received.

Mr. Pearson then moved that the charter be taken up section by section.

Mr. Burgwin moved that, inasmuch as the charter had been before the members in printed form, for two weeks, the sections be not read, but adopted without reading. That is, that any amendments might be offered, as each section was read.

Mr. McCarthy opposed the motion and commented severely on the charter. It had been gotten up under very suspicious circumstances, and now it was proposed to pass it without even reading. He also discussed the "ring" feature of the charter and the financial feature, and held that every clause should be carefully examined and weighed. As the charter could not go into effect until 1875, there was no need for haste, and he moved to postpone until the first regular meeting in May.

Mr. Phillips opposed postponement and favored the consideration of the charter.

Mr. Morrow advocated postponement and called for the yeas and nays on the motion.

Mr. Littell asked what further time was needed? The gentlemen had had the charter before them for two weeks, and if they were able to read it at all they should be ready to pass upon it now.

Mr. McCune was opposed to haste, and stated that while he had been fortunate enough to get a copy, several members had failed to get copies, even after calling upon the clerk for them. They were told that all the copies had been distributed. Some of the features were good—the charter, on the whole, was a good one, and he felt inclined to vote for it; but some features were very objectionable, and if passed would place the whole city government in the hands of a few scheming politicians. There was no need for haste, and he was in favor of postponing.

Mr. Phillips had not seen a copy of the charter, but he was ready to act upon it now.

Mr. Pearson urged action and opposed delay. The committee desired to know what changes, if any, Councils would make.

Mr. McCandless opposed present action, and stated his reasons—among them the great importance of the measure, and the fact that the people of Allegheny were opposed to consolidation. He had nothing to say now in regard to the merits of the charter.

Mr. Riddell held that the proposition to adopt such a charter, dragging in fifty or sixty thousand people of a sister city, was without a parallel in the history of legislation. He thought it would be time enough to act when a joint committee of both cities asked for the adoption of the charter.

Mr. Burgwin held that the motion to postpone was a test question. If the motion to adjourn until next May prevailed, consolidation with Allegheny was defeated not only now but forever. The Constitutional convention would put such barriers in the way that all hope of consolidation would be gone.

The yeas and nays were called, and the vote resulted:

Ayes—Foster, Galvin, Hains, Kernan, Liddell, Marshall, Minnick, Morrow, McCandless, McCarthy, McCune, O'Neil, Rafferty, Rayburn, Riddell, Thompson, Watson, Zern. Total, 18.

Nays—Adams, Abl, Aiken, Atkinson, Atterbury, Brown, Burgwin, Chalmer, Danneis, Dorrington, Duncan, Durling, Elder, Fetterman, Friday, Froelich, Goldthorpe, House, Hunter, Jeremy, Jones, E. P.; Jones, J. H.; Kirs, Laufman, Lloyd, Littell, McClurg, McDonald, McKee, McMahon, Oon, Pearson, Philips, Schultz, Scully, Seely, Shipton, Smith, Walters, Waring, Wilson, Gross. Total, 42.

So the motion to postpone was not agreed to.

Mr. Durling moved that the further consideration of the charter be postponed until Monday next, at two o'clock.

Mr. J. H. Jones moved to amend by having a continuous session, say up until ten o'clock this evening.

Mr. Burgwin moved to continue in session until six o'clock this evening, and meet again on Wednesday. Not agreed to.

The amendment to continue in session until ten o'clock was then agreed to.

Mr. McCarthy then moved that the Clerk be directed to request the Legislature to take no action whatever on the charter until Councils had finally acted.

Mr. Burgwin opposed the motion. If no action were taken in Harrisburg until Councils got the charter in shape, it would not be passed this winter.

Mr. Phillips moved that the motion be laid on the table, which was carried.

The first section was then read, when Mr. McCune proposed an amendment that Allegheny city be not included in the corporation, unless a vote of a majority of the taxpayers in that city request it. If Allegheny was dragged in against their protest, the bill would be repealed at the next session of the Legislature, and the very purposes of the friends of the measure would be defeated.

Mr. Burgwin said he was opposed to a vote. If it depended on a vote, consolidation would not take place. His ward had voted against consolidation sixteen to one, but it was brought in.

Mr. McCune—Did you consider that the city did right in dragging you in?

Mr. Burgwin—Like a child compelled to take physic, I thought it hard at first, but I have learned that it was the best thing for us. So it will be with Allegheny. Bring them in, and they will be satisfied in a short time.

Mr. Riddell held that the attempt to drag in Allegheny, without an expression of her citizens—to adopt a charter for the government of sixty thousand people without giving them a voice in it—was utterly repugnant to Republican principles; and if the charter was passed at this session of the Legislature it would be repealed at the next session.

Mr. Littell held that if a vote were provided for, it should include Pittsburgh as well as Allegheny.

Mr. Burgwin believed that if the charter was once passed, it would run the risk of being nullified by a vote of the people. He was not opposed to giving the people an opportunity to vote on any proposition proper in itself, but the presumption was that Allegheny would have its interests properly represented in its Councils and in the Legislature.

Mr. McCarthy characterized the proposition to annex Allegheny, in the manner proposed, as unjust and iniquitous—after the manner of the highway robber, who, pistol in hand, demands "your money or your life."

Mr. E. P. Jones held that it was unjust and unrepublican to annex Allegheny against her will. Hundreds of citizens were up in arms against the measure, and were sending large committees to Harrisburg to protest against it.

After some further discussion, the question was taken on Mr. Littell's motion to authorize a vote of all the people in the proposed consolidated city. The motion was carried, and the first section as amended was adopted.

The second section was then read, when Mr. McCandless moved to strike out 1875, as the time at which the charter should take effect, and inserting 1874. Lost.

The hour of six o'clock having arrived, the Council took a recess for one hour.

Evening Session.

Council reassembled at seven o'clock, President Gross in the chair.

The second article, "The Legislative Power," was then read.

Mr. McCune offered, as a substitute for the first and second sections, a provision that the city be divided into thirty six districts, with one member of Select Council from each district; and to divide the population by seventy five, the quotient to be the ratio of representation in the Common Council—the Select members to be chosen for three years, and the Common for one year.

Mr. Rafferty moved to amend, by having one Select Councilman from each ward. Agreed to, and the section as amended was adopted.

The first paragraph of section third was also stricken out.

The next amendment was in striking out the sixth section of the second article, which authorized the members of Councils to fill vacancies.

The veto power of the Mayor was discussed at considerable length. It was moved to strike out that provision which requires "two-thirds of the members of Councils" to pass a measure over the veto of the Mayor, and insert "a majority." The amendment was not agreed to.

The remaining sections of the second article were adopted, until the fifteenth article was reached, when Mr. McCarthy moved to strike out the paragraph limiting the indebtedness of the city to five per cent. of the assessed value of the real and personal property.

Mr. Shipton moved to increase the limit to ten per cent. Not agreed to.

The section was then amended so as to provide that, in addition to the debt now authorized by law, the city indebtedness shall not exceed the sum of five per cent. of the assessed value.

The third and fourth articles were adopted without material amendment.

The fifth article relative to "Departments of Public Works," was amended by striking out the system of cumulative voting for the Commissioners.

A similar change was made in the article entitled "Public Safety," and sections three and four were stricken out, and the Commissioners limited in their terms to three years.

[At ten o'clock the Council refused to adjourn.]

The "Department of Finance" was next taken up. The provision in regard to the making of assessments was amended, on motion of Mr. McCarthy, so as to make it the duty of the Bureau of Assessments to perform the duties now performed by the City Assessor and the Board of Revision.

The section authorizing Councils to elect the Controller and Treasurer was amended on motion of Mr. Shipton, so as to continue these elections in the hands of the people.

The section relative to the corporation counsel having been read, Mr. Shipton moved to make that officer elective by the people. Lost by a vote of 18 yeas to 20 nays.

At half-past ten o'clock Mr. J. H. Jones moved that the balance of the charter be adopted as reported.

This motion gave rise to a very warm and very irregular debate—several members protesting against "gag law," and giving notice that there was no quorum then present.

The Chair decided that there was a quorum present.

Mr. Morrow then moved to strike out that section which requires for the payment of cost of sewers out of a general fund, which was agreed to.

Mr. Aiken then moved to adopt the charter as a whole, as amended.

Several members objected, and the motion was not pressed.

At shortly before eleven o'clock, Mr. J. H. Jones moved that the whole charter, as amended, be adopted, which was carried by a vote of 20 to 14.

Adjourned.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The minutes having been read and approved the Chair called for

PETITIONS, REMONSTRANCES, &C.

Mr. John Moore—An ordinance dividing the Seventeenth ward into two election precincts, Forty-fourth street to be the dividing line; west of said street to be the first precinct, and prescribing the place of holding elections. Passed finally.

Mr. Morgan—Petition of property owners in Sixteenth ward for grading and paving of Liberty avenue, from Thirty-third street to Center avenue, under Penn avenue act. Received and filed.

Also, an ordinance providing for the above. Rules suspended and passed finally.

Mr. Follansbee—Resolution providing for grading of Atwood street, in the Fourteenth ward. Referred to Survey Committee.

Mr. West—Petition of property holders of Twenty-fourth and Twenty-seventh wards for the opening of Thirty-third street, south side. Referred to Survey Committee.

Mr. Arnholt—Petition of Peter Memminger relative to railroad switch on Eighteenth and Josephine streets, South Side, asking change of location to prevent water from running into his cellar. Referred to Railroad Committee.

Also, petition from butchers, farmers, &c., attending South side market, asking a lamp post near the market. Referred to Gas Committee.

Mr. Laughren—Resolution asking Legislature to pass an act providing for election of Commissioners for improvement of Carson street, South Side. Passed.

Mr. Arensberg—Petition for sewer on Penn avenue from Butler to Thirty-third street. Referred to Street Committee.

Also, for sewer on Long alley. Same reference.

Mr. John Moore—Remonstrance against above. Referred to Street Committee.

REPORT OF THE FIRE COMMISSION.

Mr. Duff presented the report of the Fire Commission. Accepted, and ordered to be printed.

PROTECTION TO BUYERS OF COAL.

Also, resolution instructing the Ordinance Committee to prepare and present an ordinance to provide for proper weighing of coal, for the protection of the public. Referred to Ordinance Committee.

Also, that the Finance Committee be instructed to appoint a competent person to examine into the accounts of the Weighmaster, and those conducting private scales; that he report the names of all parties using private scales, and those who may be violating section 14 of the city code relating to scales. Read three times, and passed under suspension of the rules.

THE MONONGAHELA BRIDGE.

Also, resolution instructing our representatives in the Assembly to prevent the passage, if possible, of the act to extend the time of the erecting of a new bridge over the Monongahela river. Read three times and passed.

Mr. Duff presented the monthly report of the Police Committee for the month of February, showing the total expenditures, including the police pay roll, to be $12,435 31. Accepted.

STREET AND SEWER IMPROVEMENTS.

Mr. Jones—Report of the Street Committee covering a number of papers and recommending favorable action on same. The report was accepted. The papers were presented and acted upon as follows:

An ordinance for the grading and paving and curbing of Fountain street, from Seventh avenue to Tunnel street. Rules suspended and passed finally.

For grading and paving of Tunnel street from Webster avenue to Fountain street. Rules suspended and passed finally.

For three feet brick sewer on Thirty-eight street from Penn avenue to the Allegheny river. Rules suspended. Mr. Arensburg objected to third reading and it was laid over.

Subsequently the matter was brought up and the ordinance referred back to the Street Committee.

Repealing an ordinance providing for the grading and paving of Thirtieth street. Rules suspended and passed finally.

For twenty inch pipe sewer on Denny's ally, from Chatham street to High street. Rules suspended and passed finally.

For twenty inch pipe sewer on Penn avenue, from Twenty-eighth street to Thirtieth street. Rules suspended.

Mr. Sewell objected, and it was laid over.

For a similar sewer on south side Butler street, from Forty-fourth to Forty-second street. Rules suspended and passed finally.

For three feet brick sewer on Carson and Twenty-seventh street, from Soda street to Josephine street, South Side. Rules suspended and passed finally.

For a board walk on South street, from East street to Maple avenue. Rules suspended and passed finally.

Resolution for warrants in favor of Board of Viewers of Street Improvements, covering the following bills: Robert Vandevort, $120; James Cassiday $120; Wm. Scott $115; H. E White $5 00. Rules suspended and passed finally.

Petition of Gas Company for privilege of constructing a switch on Second avenue. Referred to Railroad Committee.

Mr. Jones also presented a number of plans and and profiles of grades of streets and alleys, all of which were approved: Porter and Perry street, Mulberry alley and Smallman street, Pine and Spruce alleys, Seventeenth street, north curb of Reed alley, Columbia street, Young's and Cedar alley; William Willow and Harrison streets.

Following is the pay roll of the Street Department for the past month:

Engineer's office	$1,353 68
First District Commissioner	1,063 02
Second District Commissioner	733 56
Fifth District Commissioner	554 01
Sixth District Commissioner	334 37
Seventh District Commissioner	340 93
Contractors' pay roll, appropriation No. 30	749 00
Borough Commissioners	275 20

Mr. Hays presented the report of the Monongahela Wharf Committee, showing the receipts and expenditures for the preceding month as follows:

Receipts	$669 16
Expenditures	227 60

FIRST WARD CONTESTED ELECTION.

Mr. John Moore presented a report from the Committee on First Ward Contested Election, so far as concerns the seat now occupied by Mr. John W. Milligan. The committee state that no evidence was produced showing fraud in behalf of Mr. Milligan, and Mr. Cohen, contestant, had withdrawn from the contest. They therefore report in favor of the sitting member, Mr. Milligan. Accepted.

Mr. Jones—Petition for the grading, paving and curbing of Hope street, between Miltenberger and Gist street. Received.

Also, an ordinance providing for the same. Rules suspended and passed finally.

Mr. McConway—Resolution providing for warrant for bill posting. Passed finally.

An ordinance, passed to second reading at previous meeting, dividing the Twenty-second ward into two election precincts was called up and passed finally.

A resolution instructing the Controller to draw a warrant in favor of W. W. Young, for $4,106 00, for improvement of Forty-fourth street, was brought from the table and passed finally.

WYLIE AVENUE IMPROVEMENT.

Mr. Duff presented an ordinance supplementary to an ordinance relating to the improvement of Wylie avenue under the Penn avenue act. Rules suspended and passed finally.

By same gentleman, a resolution authorizing the Police Committee to pay Edward Rucher, a policeman, for the time lost by him in consequence of an accident while in the discharge of his duty. Passed finally.

Mr. Morgan—An ordinance for the grading, paving and curbing of Liberty avenue, from Thirty-third street to Center avenue, under the Penn avenue act. Rules suspended and passed finally.

When the proposed supplement to the act of Assembly relative to streets and sewers, was taken up in the Common branch, Mr. Negley, Mr. McConway in the chair, moved to insert in section one the following: Provided, further, that this section shall not apply to Forty-fourth street, and that part of Tustin street already paved. Carried.

THE PROPOSED NEW CITY CHARTER.

Mr. Evan Jones presented the report of the special committee appointed to consider the proposed new charter. (This report has already been published.) The report was accepted, whereupon Mr. Jones moved that it be considered by sections.

(It was found that but few members had copies of the printed charter, and much complaint was made in consequence.)

Mr. Hays moved that the Clerk be directed to have copies printed for members, and that action be postponed until they may be supplied. The question came on suspension of the rules and was lost.

The reading of the sections was then proceeded with, and after the first article was adopted a motion to adjourn was made and carried.

In all action of S. C. the Common Branch concurred.

Free Medical Dispensary.

Following is the report of the Western Free Medical Dispensary and Infirmary, No. 877 Penn avenue, for the month of February:

Total number of cases treated at Dispensary, 137; number of male adults, 66; number of female adults, 53; number of children, 18; number of visits made, 83.

This institution has been in successful operation for some time. The physicians in charge furnish medicines and advice gratuitously to all who may apply to them. There is no distinction made as regards creed, color or nationality, and whenever required the poor are visited at their homes, and medicines and proper nutritious food furnished *free* of all costs.

Child Burned to Death.

About noon yesterday, a little child, four years of age, named Mary Elizabeth Weidner was burned to death at its home in the Twenty-seventh ward, East Birmingham. The mother went a little distance from the house for a bucket of water—was gone but a few moments—but on reaching the house on her return heard the child scream. She ran in and found the clothes almost burned off the babe. It is supposed that she tried to see what was boiling in the pot on the open grate and caught fire. The little sufferer died in about an hour and a half after the occurrence. Coroner West held an inquest and a verdict in accordance with the facts was rendered.

CITY MATTERS IN BRIEF.

THE Central Board of Education meets this afternoon.

MR. W. C. SMYTHE, of this city, is an applicant for the position of Commissioner to the Vienna Exposition.

BISHOP KERFOOT, of whose illness mention was made a few days since, is still lying in a precarious condition.

A SPECIAL meeting of the Common Council has been called for Wednesday afternoon, to consider the new city charter.

A. HARTUPEE, of this city, it is said, is in St. Louis, with a view of bidding for the work of constructing the engines of the new water works there.

THE grading of Devilliers street, Eleventh ward, is progressing rapidly. It will, when completed, be a great improvement to that portion of the city.

THERE is a big leak in the gas main on Center avenue, between Devilliers and Grove streets, and that portion of the city is unpleasantly scented.

THE people of Beaver Falls will hold a meeting this evening to consider the communication of the Harmony Society regarding the Chinese laborers.

ROBERT REED, while at work cleaning a ceiling at the house of Mrs. Denny, near Lawrenceville, on Saturday, fell from a ladder and was severely injured.

ALDERMAN TAYLOR'S police are looking for Adam Shaufuer, who is charged on oath of R. G. Huston with malicious mischief, in breaking a large window pane of glass.

MR. WALTER THOMPSON, formerly connected with the Prothonotary's office of this county, died on Sunday at Johnston's Station, Allegheny Valley Railroad.

A CHIMNEY on the house of Mr. F. Needheimer, East Liberty, was blown down during the high wind on Sunday evening. No damage was done to the house and no one was injured.

STREET Commissioner Megraw, of Allegheny, has decided to resign his position. The resignation will be presented at the next regular meeting of Councils. Several applicants for the position are already in the field.

LIEUT. IRWIN last night arrested two young men in a house on Miltenberger alley whose actions were supposed to be suspicious. The officer was called by the proprietor, but after the arrest he wanted them released.

A BOY named Livingston, a resident of Ohio, but visiting at Edgeworth Station, had one of his legs run over on the Fort Wayne Railroad at the station named, on Sunday last, when attempting to get upon a freight train. Amputation will be necessary.

THE Pittsburgh Book and News Company, No. 146 Wood Street, send us the *Daily Graphic*, the illustrated newspaper just established in New York. There is a very perceptible improvement in the pictures, of which four pages are given in each number.

SOME boys yesterday, while playing in Carpenter's alley, Allegheny city, found a cigar box containing the bodies of two babes, supposed to have been twins. They were taken to the Mayor's office and notice was sent to the Coroner. It is not likely that an inquest will be held.

MAYOR BLACKMORE has submitted a reply to the opinion of City Attorney Bigelow on the question of the return of fines and forfeitures. He claims that under the acts of Assembly and city ordinances it his duty to make *report monthly* but to pay over amounts *quarterly* only.

THE Mayor yesterday, after hearing, held Wm. *alias* "Babe" Montgomery to bail in the sum of $2,000 for his appearance at Court to answer the charge of felonious assault and battery, on oath of Robert Edwards. This action would seem to be superfluous in view of the fact that by decision of the Court an indictment has already been found in the case by the Grand Jury.

A ROW occured on Sunday afternoon at the house of Laurence Kounsman, on Troy Hill, in which a number of persons participated. Officer Kalmyre, of Mayor Callow's police, made an information before the Mayor yesterday charging Kounsman with selling liquor on Sunday, and also charging F. Scatteline and Nicholas Kelch with disorderly conduct. The parties were arrested and entered bail for a hearing.

THOMAS WIER was yesterday charged before the Mayor with assault and battery on oath of James Neecy. The allegation is that the defendant beat the prosecutor and forced him out of his (Weir's) father's house. The offense is not denied but the defendant states that Neecy abused his wife, defendant's sister, and that he followed her to her father's house, where she had fled for protection, and there acted in an abusive manner.

MR. J. L. LYON, of Toronto, solicitor in Canada for Messrs. Jones, Shanley & Co., is in this city, looking after the interests of that firm in the suits against the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad Company for damages for alleged breach of contract. The claims of Jones, Shanley & Co. against the corporation named, amount in all to $200,000. Messrs. John H. Hampton and Thomas M. Marshall appear as counsel for plaintiffs before the arbitrators.

Death of S. S Fowler.

Many of our readers will be surprised to hear, and we are pained to announce, the death of Mr. S. S. Fowler, an old and well known citizen of Pittsburgh, which event took place yesterday at Gregor, Iowa. The dispatch conveying the sad intelligence simply states that his death was sudden, and so far as we can learn no information of his illness had been received by his friends here.

Mr. Fowler was for many years one of our most extensive manufacturers. His brass and finishing shop was in Water street, in the First ward, where at one time he did an immense business. Mr. Fowler was a kind hearted and generous man, and leaves, beside a family, a large circle of friends and acquaintances to mourn his demise.

FRED. PASTRE, a barber at the East End, has been held in three hundred dollars bail by Deputy Mayor Irwin to answer a charge of larceny by bailee, on oath of George Mower. The allegation is that the defendant sold a guitar entrusted to his care and pocketed the proceeds.

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JOY—Sunday evening, March 9, at 8:30 o'clock, THEANNA JOY, widow of Andrew S. Joy, in the sixty-third year of her age.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, Penn avenue, near Butler street, WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock.

BLACK—On Sunday morning, March 9th, JOHN BLACK, SR., in the sixty first year of his age.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 22 Ninth street, (late Hand), on TUESDAY, 11th inst., at 2 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

VOGDES—On Saturday morning, March 8th, 1873, at Harrisburg, LIDIE W., wife of W. Wayne Vodges, and daughter of Henry A. Weaver, of this city.

Funeral services at St. Peters Episcopal Church, on WEDNESDAY, March 12th, at 10 A. M.

GRIER—On Saturday night, March 8th, at 11 o'clock, ANNIE F. WOOD, wife of Robert J. Grier, in the twenty-second year of her age.

Funeral from the residence of her brother-in-law, I. W Grubbs, No. 32 Locust street, Allegheny, on TUESDAY, March 11th, at 2 o'clock P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

THOMPSON—On Monday, March 10th, WALTER THOMPSON, at Johnston Station, Allegheny Valley Railroad.

Remains will be brought to this city this morning. Notice of funeral hereafter.

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Fast Line	8 50 p m	Pacific Ex	[illegible]
		Way Passenger	9 50 p m

LOCAL. [illegible]

Chicago Express, Cincinnati Express, Fast Line and Brinton Accommodation No. 3 leave daily. Pacific Express daily, except Monday. All other Trains daily, except Sunday. [illegible]

The Church Train leaves Wall's Station every Sunday at 9:10 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 10:00 a. m. Returning leaves Pittsburgh at 12:30 p. m. and arrives at Wall's Station at 1:50 p. m. Leaves Pittsburgh 9:20 p. m.; arrives at Brinton's 10:30 p. m.

CITY TICKET OFFICE.—For the convenience of the citizens of Pittsburgh the Pennsylvania Railroad Company have opened a City Ticket Office at No. 78 Fifth avenue, corner Smithfield street, where Through Tickets, Commutation Tickets and Local Tickets to principal Stations, can be purchased at any hour of the day or evening, at the same rates as are charged at the Depot. Baggage will be checked through to destination from Hotels and Residences by the Excelsior Baggage Express Co., on orders left at the office.

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From DECEMBER 23, 1872, trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows: [illegible]

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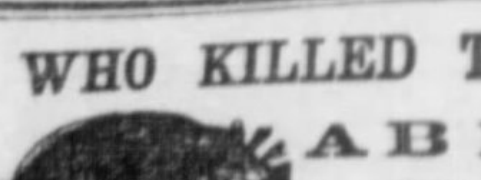

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